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May, Nineteen Thirty

Official Convention

While everyone at convention is eager to know who is who, interest centers especially around the responsible official delegates, as they are omnipresent and loquacious at every convention event.

So this magazine introduces them to readers, and to one another, hoping that introductions over, in Toronto acquaintanceship may more quickly ripen into friendship and fellowship.



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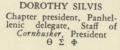
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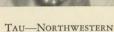


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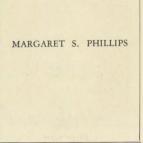
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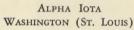
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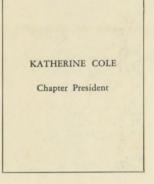
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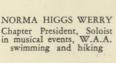
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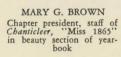


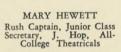
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BETA PI MICHIGAN STATE







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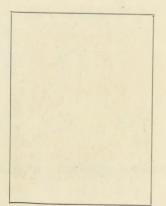
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A \(\Delta \)

Chapter President, Omicron Advisory Board, Mother of two sons



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PASADENA



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EUPHEMIA ABRAMS CLARK, I

Wife of the president of University of Nevada and mother of Beta Mu's dele-gate, State chairman for Nevada and Wyoming



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campaign captain



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San Francisco Alumnæ, Phi
delegate at Minnewaska,
1913. Information chairman
1926 convention. Editor,
Stanford University Alumni
Magazine, Mother of
three sons

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Chapter President

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MARGARET RAWLINGS, Β θ Chapter Corresponding Secretary

RUTH WATERMAN SWEITZER, X

SPOKANE

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TORONTO

ALISON EWART, Σ Chapter president, Associate Editor Canadian Historical Review

MARY OLIVE ESKRIDGE ALBAU, B Z

Tulsa



WASHINGTON

MARY DAY KAVANAGH, T
Chapter President, Mother of two
small children, with a husband
willing to care for children while
she goes to Toronto

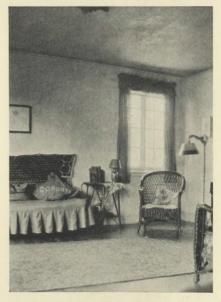


WICHITA
MERL MILLAR WALLING, A O
Chapter president 1928-30, A O's
first convention delegate at Pasadena 1911, hasn't missed a meeting
of Wichita Alumnæ in four years.



YAKIMA ETHEL R. HOUGH, Φ





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MISS DUVAL District VIII



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BETTY HUGHES Loan and Fellowship Fund Delegate



KATE WEAVER Grand Treasurer's Deputy



The Masquerade

AHA!" shouted Sherlock Holmes "The mystery has been solved!"—and so shout we of Sigma chapter, who are now able to disclose the details of the masquerade and stunt night to be held on the Saturday evening of the convention week-end.

The masquerade is to take the form of a pageant of Canadian history. At once the question arises "What do our American sisters know of Canadian history?" The reply is simple—"Our ancestors made history together for the greater part of the period." And so, having settled

that question, let us sit down in peace and choose costumes.

Sylvia Hahn, Sigma's artist, has once more come to the rescue with a sketch depicting prominent figures in the early days of Canada. Behold on the left Christopher Columbus himself. He has just come ashore, and eagerly views the land. Next to him are two Indians, and we hope that those who wish to adopt their costume will have the discretion to choose that of the Indian on the left! A Champlain or Jacques Cartier stands stoutly in the centre, and next to him a Jesuit priest. On the right stand Seigneur and Coureur de bois, and finally a pitiful group of Acadians, exiled from their homes. The majority of these figures are men—but do not let that discourage you! The cowboy and Indian will charm those Thetas who long for the free wild West. We have not yet asked permission of the Royal York to admit horses to the masquerade, so perhaps it would be wise to discard that part of the costume. But before altogether banishing the horse from the picture, let me suggest one more, on whose back is seated a Royal Mounted policeman.



Alison Ewart has very kindly supplied the following list of well known characters—most of which are women. This will be of assistance to those who prefer to remain feminine.

1. Champlain, and Hélène his young wife of twenty-two, who came to Canada in 1608 and lived in Quebec for three years.

2. Hébert, the first Canadian farmer and his wife. Their farm was situated where the city of Quebec now is. They were the first Canadian colonists.

3. "Les Filles du Roi"—those brave maidens sent out by Louis XIV from France to be brides for the French colonists.

4. The Ursuline Sisters who came to Quebec about 1642. Of these especially Marie de l'Incarnation.

5. Maisonneuve who founded Montreal in 1642 as a mission colony.

6. Jeanne Mance, the first Canadian nurse, and foundress of the hospital in Montreal.

7. Marguerite Bourgeoys, who opened her first school in a barn.

8. Madeline de Verchères, who in 1692 at the age of 14, defended her father's seigniory against the Iroquois.

9. Evangeline and the other exiles from Acadia. (See Longfel-

low's poem Evangeline.)

10. The Coureurs de bois—picturesque unlicensed traders in fur with the Indians.

11. La Verendye and others-explorers of the west.

- 12. The gay court at Quebec under the intendant Bigot, before the fall of Quebec, when New France copied the elegant court at Versailles.
- 13. Wolfe and Montcalm and others during the period of the fall of Quebec.

14. The many participants in the American Revolution. The United Empire Loyalists.

15. The War of 1812. The capture of Toronto-then known as

"Muddy little York"—by the Americans. Laura Secord.

16. The Rebellion of 1837.

17. 1867.—The Fathers of confederation.

Books of reference that will be found useful are:

Colby—Canadian types of the Old Régime.

Makers of Canada series.

Chronicles of Canada.

These are merely suggestions—you may have many more original ones yourselves. A representative of the Hudson Bay co. would be most welcome, as would also a Maria Chapdelaine. And so from Christopher Columbus to the Fathers of confederation—and indeed right down to our very own grandparents—come one, come all, and we shall make merry together in the Royal York on Saturday, July 5.



Clothes, Study, Maps

There is no need to make further comment on the other events of convention. May I mention just three things. The first is in answer to various questions as to what clothes to bring to convention. For the daytime a tailored dress—probably that in which you travel—and a summer dress would provide for whatever weather is in vogue. Those who wish to play golf at the Royal York golf club should of course make provision for that. At the banquet on Monday night evening dress will be worn. A light summer dress (or afternoon dress of any description) and hat will be sufficient for all other events.

The second fact to be mentioned is that Thetas who wish to attend the Summer session at the University of Toronto may obtain information about this upon application to the Secretary, U. C. Women's

union, University of Toronto.

Lastly, the Imperial Oil co. has a most excellent motor map of Canada and the United States. It can be mailed free of charge to those who apply.

And so-"Au Revoir!!"

Convention Program

June 28-29—Grand council meeting

July 1-2—Officers' conference

July 3—9:00 A.M.—Special train arrives

10:00 A.M.—1 P.M. Registration and credentials

Conferences—Grand council with individual chapters

1:00 P.M.—Acquaintance luncheon

3:00 P.M.—Nike

4:30 P.M.—Tea, at hotel

7:00 P.M.—District dinners

8:00 P.M.—District conventions

9:00 P.M.—Song fest

July 4—9:00 A.M.—Business session

1:00 P.M.—Neighbor luncheon

2:30 P.M.—Alumnæ session

Rush and party exchange

4:30 P.M.—Round tables

7:00 P.M.—English supper at Hart house, followed by dramatics by Sigma talent

July 5—9:00 A.M.—Business session

9:45 A.M.—Sectional conferences

Four simultaneous conferences for college delegates, with identical programs

Two, or more, simultaneous conferences for alumnæ chapter delegates

Sections for non-delegates

1:00 P.M.—Scholarship luncheon

2:30 P.M.—General session

Scholarship symposium

Reports from sectional conferences

7:00 P.M.—French-Canadian cabaret—costume party with stunts

July 6—10:00 A.M.—1:00 P.M. Conferences, Grand council and individual chapters

1:00 P.M.—Panhellenic luncheon

2:00 P.M.—Song fest, followed by discussion groups

4:00 P.M.—Garden trip and tea in homes of Toronto Thetas

8:00 P.M.—Exhibits demonstration

9:00 P.M.—Initiation

10:00 P.M.—Chapter, and group parties (optional)

July 7—8:00 A.M.—Formal breakfast honoring initiates

9:00 A.M.—Closing business session

1:00 P.M.—Luncheon honoring alumnæ

2:00 P.M.—Conferences, Grand council and individual chapters

Final session of groups, etc.

4:30 P.M.—Tea at Yacht club

7:30 P.M.—Convention banquet



Detroit Entertains Convention En Route

THAT TRAIN RIDE from Chicago to Detroit which many good Thetas will take on July 2 will be just about long enough to make the pause in the Motor City a most refreshing event.

Down at the station that day, a large group of Thetas will await the arrival of the honored guests, and the plans from that moment until the Canadian Pacific crack express leaves for Toronto at 3. A.M. are a well-guarded secret.

Suffice it to say, Detroit Thetas will make the most of their oppor-

tunity.

If you wish to pry out some information, or any information for that matter, regarding your stop in Detroit, and the very, very secret plans that are laid, just drop a line to "Bobbie" Phelps. (Mrs Marx Phelps, 2639 Tuxedo avenue, Detroit, Michigan.) Or if you want to give her a call, her telephone number is Arlington 8146. The rates are low after 8:30 P.M.

ELSA PATTERSON



Scholarship: "Estimate the time per week of actual study and then try to think of some business or profession in which you could succeed with so little effort."— Σ N—Delta

What to Pack for Convention

What shall I take to convention?"

That this question will be asked many times in the coming months is a logical assumption. Logical likewise, is the presumption that most of these queries will relate to the number of hats and dresses, weight of coats, species of sports apparel advisable for a sorority convention.

Lest your packing ardor come to an end in a maze of perfumes and powders, compacts and cameras, scissors and slippers, we nominate for your essential equipment:

One determination to do your share in furthering Sigma Kappa's

progress in all lines.

One alert interest in items of business submitted for this convention's consideration, and one comprehensive knowledge of your chapter's stand on all the matters.

One complete understanding of business items submitted by your chapter. It is difficult to be nonchalant when your chapter is announced from the platform as the donor and you as defender of an item you never heard of.

One usable knowledge of parliamentary law. It will help in saving time and trouble.

One acquaintance with business discussed at previous conventions, that you will not be one to waste time by plodding over old battle grounds.

One intimacy with the chapter roll, lest "Lambda feels" and "Psi

believes" disturb you unduly.

One familiarity with names and accomplishments of national officers.

One inquisitive nature, to annex suggestions from other chapters successful in meeting certain of your problems.

One retentive memory to hold correctly all discussions and decisions of convention for your chapter. If you cannot annex this, substitute an extra pencil and a larger notebook.

One urge for friendships with girls from other chapters.

One rested self, so that you may enter fully into the "extra-curricular" as well as regular convention activities without loss of time in catching up in sleep.

One desire to derive all the fun possible from the convention and

the boat party.

Σ K Triangle, March, 1928

Some of Convention's Hostesses

GENEVA CAME to Toronto for three days in February, when a Model assembly of the League of nations was held at the university. To Betty Lang, Sigma, was due the inspiration, and much of the organization. Betty is the sort of person who is always having ideas, and propounding them with an enthusiasm which is infectious, so that they have a way of becoming translated into fact before anyone quite realizes what has happened. So in the case of the Model assembly. A suggestion in a committee—and the whole thing was started, with Betty as president of the League of nations club. For Canadian students, the prospect was new and intriguing, though such assemblies had been held in universities across the border. An enormous amount of work was necessary. The faculty helped willingly, and Betty found a mine of information in Professor N. A. Mackenzie, at one time legal advisor to the International labour office.

For months Betty Lang was a woman of one idea; the League was with her an obsession. The customary question at each chapter meeting "Any reports on college activities?" brought the invariable "Yes, about the League" and the chapter settled down meekly to a hail of appeals. For the most part, there was little need for coaxing. Students all over the university were anxious to take part. The idea of featuring as the delegate for Russia, for the Argentine, for all sorts of places, from Timbuctoo to Greenland's icy mountains, was not without its appeal to the imagination. Betty and her fellow workers pursued the more unwilling with lists of countries and topics, and a flow of eloquent argument. To those who protested feebly their inability to speak in public the committee offered a choice of a dozen other jobs, until atlasses, news clippings, histories, and foreign consuls were alike beleaguered by seekers after knowledge.

The Model assembly was not a purely local affair. It became literally international. When the members assembled, there were seven Princeton men, two girls from Vassar, and delegates from five Canadian universities. India was represented by a student from the University of Calcutta, China by the Chinese Nationalist party of America, Japan by Japanese students, and Latvia by a Lett. The delegates for France came from Ottawa, and two of them spoke in French. The interpreter, M. Rooney Pelletier, was a French-Canadian. National animosities were laid aside, in true League spirit, when the Arabs of the Hedjaz

were represented by a Jewish rabbi.

The sessions and reports, some of them broadcast by radio, were

no less interesting than the personnel of the assembly. Nora Doran, as delegate from Russia, made an outstanding speech, and other Thetas figured in less prominent rôles. The diminutive page-boys added not a little to the effect, and enjoyed themselves hugely delivering notes, although slightly puzzled by the delegation from Holland labelled "Pays-Bas." Sir Herbert Ames, at one-time chairman of the Finance committee of the League of nations, was one of the special speakers. On Sunday, Canon Cody delivered in St. Paul's the sermon which he preached at Geneva in 1928.

Altogether, February 21 to 23 were great days, and Sigma was justly proud of the part played by Betty Lang both then, and in the weeks of organization beforehand. Managing to look cool and collected in the whirl of activity, she attended sessions, teas and dinners, and, presiding at the luncheon held at the Royal York, introduced distinguished speakers with admirable sang-froid. In proof of her efficiency, she has been re-elected to the executive of the League of nations club, still seeking, like Alexander, for new fields to conquer.

Hart house theater saw the production, from March 11 to 15, of the revue, The way of the world by Maureen O'Mara, pledge. Maureen, red-haired, pale, and interesting, has composed ever since she can remember. Last year she wrote the lyrics for the musical comedy Honey-boy, by Howard Lindsay, also an undergraduate, which was the talk of the campus for weeks. This year both staged productions of their own. The university is becoming quite accustomed to advertisements in The Varsity, encouraging aspirants to fame through footlights to apply for chorus positions.

The way of the world lives up to its title. The scene shifts from Canada to London, Paris and New York, from the underworld to the college campus. The opening scene is a tableau in Paul Poiret's salon, there is a melodramatic episode in a cabaret, a clever skit *Picking 'em up in London* and some good comedy, particularly in *OH Central* which features a hardboiled hotel switchboard operator in action. The in-

evitable negro and Scotchman received their due attention.

A revue with twenty-two scenes is an ambitious undertaking for an eighteen-year-old girl. The new songs, especially *Melancholy Moon*, the new dance *Campus crawl*, and an excellent orchestra, the *Varsity entertainers*, made thoroughly good entertainment. As one Toronto paper said: "The way of the World is refreshing, for it interprets the spirit of youth seen by youth itself, not as oldsters think it is viewed by them. It is sophisticated, of course, modern youth is; and it is jazzy, though not alarmingly so. In any event it is alive and worth seeing."

MARY A. CAMPBELL

Convention Visitors Coming Via Buffalo

BUFFALO THETAS are looking forward to seeing motorists, and others who will come to Toronto through Buffalo, at a Dutch treat dinner which they have arranged for the evening of July 2, at the Statler hotel. The cost will be \$1.50 and reservations will be received by Mrs R. V. S. Richmond, 73 Lisbon avenue, Buffalo. They recommend the Statler as a stopping place for all who will remain in Buffalo over night.



Founders' Day

NEW YORK CITY

Founders'-day banquet in New York City this year was a particularly enjoyable occasion. Through the kindness of Philadelphia alumnæ we had the great distinction of having Mrs Hamilton as our guest of honor.

The Ball room of the Panhellenic club house was gaily decorated with spring flowers and impressed one with the coming of springtime.

One was reminded of our song "From coast to coast, from the north to the southland" as the roll call was answered.

Miss Helen Waldo, president of New York alumnæ, opened the banquet with a greeting to our one hundred guests, and lighted four candles in honor of the Founders of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Before Mrs Hamilton took us back so vividly to the early days of Thetahood, Alpha Kappa presented a corsage of sweet peas to Mrs

Louis Wilputte, newly elected president of District VII.

Following the luncheon, the afternoon was devoted to our guest of honor who told us so humorously and clearly of the early founding of Kappa Alpha Theta and related to us the struggles four girls endured to perpetuate their ideals of gold.

Mrs Hamilton remained for several days at the Panhellenic club, as

a guest of New York alumnæ, before returning to her home.

LILLIAN M. WAIT



K A θ FOUNDERS' DAY IN SHANGHAI, 1930 (Left to right) Elizabeth Nichols Throop, Iota; Grace Boggs, Service, Omega; Florence Patterson, Epsilon and Psi; Irene Bangs Barton, Omega; Grace Corbett Wells, Epsilon; Grace Darling, Beta Theta; Bess Lipscomb Sullivan, Alpha Eta; Mary Towne Lockwood, Alpha; Katharine Seelye Wallace, Epsilon; Rafala Tennent Dorrance, Tau.

SHANGHAI

In the flowery land where kites originated, where age is reverenced, and the sixtieth birthday anniversary is an occasion of the greatest festivity, Kappa Alpha Theta Founders'-day 1930 was celebrated by a tiffin given by Grace Boggs Service, Omega, in her attractive home. This year Founders'-day and Chinese New Years nearly coincided—meaning, according to Chinese ideas, the beginning of spring, which assured us a fine day instead of the proverbial snowstorm we used to experience in Washington.

Since the government has banned the lunar New Year, ordering the people to observe the Western one, we could make believe that all those popping fire crackers were going off in our honor. Chinese homes were decked profusely with the traditional boughs of heavenly bamboo and "la-mei" (red berries and yellow blossoms respectively) in spite of official disfavor.

Mrs Service, however, succeeded in decorating her table with black and gold pansies, and yellow kite-shaped place cards. Copies in black and gold of poems by Ethel Arnold Tilden Alpha (Two prayers for the New Year) were distributed. Ten Thetas were present—if not quite "From coast to coast," at least representing chapters from California to New York state, and from Alpha to Omega and beyond!

This was said to be the largest Theta gathering in Shanghai's history—we may have a Far Eastern chapter yet! Two regular residents were unable to be present: Virginia Hawkins Bills, Alpha Beta, who

was on a trip to Manila, and Dorothy McGuire Hansen, Alpha Xi, to whom was born a daughter on January 11.

What, you may ask, brings so many Thetas to Shanghai? Of the ten present, two were teachers; two, wives of St. John's university professors; three, of mission executives; and the others, of an engineer for a large foreign firm, a Standard Oil man, and an adviser to the Ministry of Finance. Their names follow: Mary Towne Lockwood, Alpha; Grace Corbett Wells and Katharine Seelye Wallace, Epsilon; Florence B. Patterson, Epsilon and Psi; Elizabeth Nichols Throop, Iota; Rafaela Tennant Dorrance, Tau; Grace Boggs Service and Irene Bangs Barton, Omega; Bess Lipscomb Sullivan, Alpha Eta; and Grace Darling, Beta Theta.

It has been a pleasure this winter to welcome three Thetas on world tours as they stopped in Shanghai: Mrs Walter, Alpha Beta, well-known in the fraternity as a former Grand president; her young daughter, Mrs Thompson, also of Alpha Beta; and Laura Fulton, Epsilon. May we extend a cordial invitation to traveling Thetas to let their presence in Shanghai be known? Mrs R. R. Service can be located in the Shanghai telephone directory if you forget or lose her address: 625 Route Sieyes.

KATHARINE SEELYE WALLACE

PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia Thetas enjoyed a unique and memorable Founders'-day celebration. The program chairman of Philadelphia alumnæ met Betty Locke Hamilton on a recent visit to Indiana. On her suggestion the alumnæ chapter invited Mrs Hamilton, our sole living Founder, to be the honored guest and speaker at the annual banquet. The answer came back that, weather and health permitting, Mrs Hamilton would be delighted to attend—and she did! To those of us who were privileged to see and hear this active, sprightly, humorous, and quickwitted octagenerian, it seemed impossible to believe that she had reached her seventy-ninth birthday, as she confidentially and gleefully told us.

The supper was at the Warburton house, the finest residential and transient hotel for women in Philadelphia. After the banquet, Mrs Hamilton arose, and in her inimitabel manner, described the courage of "the four, bold girls" who had founded Theta, their trials and encouragements, and their final triumph when Kappa Alpha Theta became an established fact.

As a climax to her visit, Mrs Hamilton visited Alpha Beta at Swarthmore college, was taken to Atlantic City for her first visit there, and then concluded her two-weeks' stay by being the guest of honor at a luncheon of New York alumnæ. The memory of this energetic, capable (for she traveled from Indiana alone) and whimsical old lady with her original observations on life and the young people of today, will live long in the memories of those Thetas who celebrated a real Founders'-day with her.

MIRIAM JENKINS ELSBREE

COLORADO

Taking advantage of the presence of national officers in Denver for National Panhellenic, the three chapters of the State—Beta Gamma, Beta Iota, and Denver alumnæ—celebrated Founders'-day, February 22, with a banquet where Mrs Moore, Grand president, Mrs Grasett, Grand Treasurer, and Miss Green, Grand secretary, were guests of honor.

With genuine courtesy, the guests of honor were not requested to make speeches, but were just introduced, after which Mary Hunter as a gracious toastmistress, introduced Philippine Anderson to speak of 1870, Barbara Hunt to toast 1930, and Mrs Kate Adams Weaver, to prophesy for 1970. Then the Founders'-day service of the Ritual book, closed the evening, which had as a fine feature the singing by a double quartet of Thetas.



How Far Can You Think?

In this year when Kappa Alpha Theta holds her first international convention, it may not be inappropriate for us all to ask ourselves this question.

It is platitudinous to comment upon the necessity for college women to see beyond the campus, for college alumnæ to know a little of the

world's problems.

In the days of the World War a Theta representative generously did her stint in France. In days of peace what are we doing to develop an international mind; what is our share in helping in world understanding?

GRACE H. MILLER, Pittsburgh alumnæ



ALUMNAE NEWS



Notes

BEFORE THIS LETTER appears, most of the state chairmen will have sent out the fraternity's annual report and their state letter. In two states these will be mailed by very new members of our alumnæ board. Mrs Carol Green Wilson introduces the new California chairman thus: "From the presidency of Stanford's '500' to a pioneer job on San Francisco's 'Wall street' is the record of California's new state chairman—Eleanor Davidson, Phi '28, at the present time personnel director for the San Francisco stock exchange. 'Davy,' as her campus friends still call her, is creating her novel stock exchange job as she tackles its many phases; and promises to fill her new Theta responsibility with the same smiling efficiency. She claims membership in Cap and gown, Phi Sigma Alpha, political science scholarship Society, and Delta Sigma Rho, honorary debating group. Last year she was secretary to Dr Mosher, Medical advisor to women at Stanford—also a Theta, by the way—and acted as debating coach for Stanford women."

Idaho's former state chairman, Mrs Merrill, introduces her successor as follows: "It is with sincere pleasure that I introduce to Thetas everywhere Idaho's chairman, Beulah Brown Freeman. It hardly seems necessary to tell Idaho Thetas about her, since her activities while in college and since graduation have brought her in contact with so many Thetas. Beulah always held a responsible office while in college—she is a Beta Theta graduate—so became well informed about her fraternity. Last year when, as a bride, she went to live in Boise, she was chosen president of the Theta club, and then, when she moved to Moscow last September, she continued her Theta interests by joining its small club and becoming one of Beta Theta's advisers. That her college interests were not confined to Theta alone is shown by her election to Phi Beta Kappa, Mortar board and other organizations. I feel Idaho is fortunate to have such a peppy, efficient person as alumnæ chairman."

On new club has already organized for next year. The five Thetas in Jackson, Michigan, are now meeting regularly and were planning, when I heard from them last, to attend Eta's March initiation in a body. They represent four chapters, two of which, Epsilon and Pi, are no longer active. Isn't it fine that the loss of one's college chapter affects in no way one's Theta enthusiasm?

HOPE DAVIS MECKLIN

To Lead District VII

MRS ADELE JOHNSON WILPUTTE

What one struggles to acquire is sure to be more closely cherished than the silver platter gift. Perhaps that is why charter members often have a deeper and more abiding love for the fraternity than those who are invited to come in after the difficult trail has been blazed, and why Adele Johnson Wilputte, after having helped to establish Alpha Theta chapter at the University of Texas, can point to twenty consecutive years of active work with the New York alumnæ of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Refinement, good taste, sympathy, humor, and judgment are a few of the characteristics that come to mind when one thinks of Adele Wilputte. On meeting her socially and enjoying her rare wit and humorous point of view one might not be prepared for the balanced judgments and steady common sense decisions which she invariably

gives to all questions presented for her consideration.

The fine achievement of Panhellenic in New York in erecting and maintaining Panhellenic House has taken much of Mrs Wilputte's time and energy for a number of years and her work on the Board has been a valued contribution.

A southerner by birth and education, the new president of District VII has the point of view of the southern chapters of her district, while her long residence in New York has broadened her sympathies to understand the problems of the northern chapters. In fact, her thinking is international, for her husband, although she met him at a Theta convention, is British by birth and Belgian by extraction, and so her frequent European sojourns have been more than the travels of a tourist.

The girls of District VII are sure to give Mrs Wilputte the same whole souled devotion accorded her by the New York Thetas, and we only wish they all might foregather with us on June 6 at our annual meet-

ing with her on her beautiful estate in Westchester county.

HELEN WALDO

Another New Club! Reported to central office as this issue goes to press—Austin, Texas, has an organized club. The first club activity was a rummage sale, from proceeds of which an Alpha Theta house bond was purchased.

Three Score Years

THOUGH THE FIRST of the women's fraternities, Kappa Alpha Theta is one of the last to print a record of its years. History, history, has been talked about, and worked over now for almost a score of years. Because the fraternity had not been history conscious before that time, the work of collecting the scattered facts, figures, and pictures was tremendous.

Many Thetas contributed toward the collection of the data for a history. Their work was organized, and much more research done, by Estelle Dodge before she could begin writing the story of Kappa Alpha Theta. In the meantime came, and passed, the Golden jubilee of Kappa Alpha Theta, which had been set as the year for publishing the fraternity's history.

Ten more years of activity, increased the work of recording the facts, work that never can cease so long as the fraternity is a live organization.

A year ago in February, the Grand secretary went to Menasha, Wisconsin, where in conference with the Grand vice-president and members of the staff of the George Banta Publishing company, the final format for the history, the selection of pictures that should be included, and many other technical printing matters were settled.

July 1, 1929, the copy went to the printer. Since that date, innumerable points of technical policy, countless verifications of seemingly conflicting statements, and patient experiment with changing ideas as to setting of heads, etc. has been the order of the day.

Only the experienced publishers anticipated that the process of seeing the book through the presses would be so time consuming. The final vexatious delay arose when the receipt of the final page proofs coincided with the date the Grand secretary had to leave for N.P.C. so that the making of the index "had to go over" for two weeks. But there comes an end to all delays—and so, at last Kappa Alpha Theta's history is ready for readers.

The title is "Sixty years in Kappa Alpha Theta." The book has 500 pages, and half that number of illustrations. Its price is \$3.00 a copy. Central office is ready to receive and fill orders for the book. It would be good news for convention if all the first edition was sold before that event. Order your copy now, or you may be too late, as the first edition is a limited one.

While the book is far from ideally complete, it is full of things you probably do not know about your fraternity, and is, we think, interest-

ing: interesting even to those who have read it in manuscript and in proofs over and over again. It meets, we believe, Lord Macaulay's standard for true history:

"No picture, then, and no history, can present us with the whole truth: but those are the best pictures and the best histories which exhibit such parts of the truth as most nearly produce the effects of the whole."

Extension of Women's Fraternities

Feb. 1928-Feb. 1930

(As reported to N.P.C. in February, 1930)

Alpha Chi Omega (3)

Michigan State, Whitman, Florida State

Alpha Delta Pi (2)

Toronto, Michigan

Alpha Delta Theta (3) Brenau, Howard, Ohio

Alpha Gamma Delta (1)

Denver

Alpha Omicron Pi (3)

Florida State, Pennsylvania State, Cincinnati

Alpha Phi (3)

Îdaho, Manitoba, British Columbia

Alpha Xi Delta (5)

Randolph-Macon, Denver, Florida State, Texas, Washington (St. Louis)

Beta Phi Alpha (5)

Oregon State, Howard, Newcomb, Miami, Purdue

Chi Omega (3)

Denison, Tulsa, Louisville

Delta Delta Delta (5)

South Carolina, William and Mary, North Dakota, Idaho, Denison

Delta Gamma (1)

British Columbia

Delta Zeta (6)

Rhode Island, Mississippi, Louisville, South Carolina, Pennsylvania, Utah

Gamma Phi Beta (4)

British Columbia, Rollins, Wittenberg, Southern Methodist

Kappa Alpha Theta (4)

Duke, Southern Methodist, Denison, British Columbia

Kappa Delta (5)

Louisville, Queen's, William and Mary, Maryland, New Hampshire Kappa Kappa Gamma (8)

Alabama, Manitoba, British Columbia, Maryland, George Washington, Southern Methodist, Denison, North Dakota State

Phi Mu (4)

Rollins, Queen's, Purdue, Pennsylvania State

Pi Beta Phi (4)

Monmouth, Útah, Rollins, Manitoba

Sigma Kappa (3)

North Dakota, Oregon, Georgetown

Theta Upsilon (4)

Lombard, Washington (Seattle), Utah, New Hampshire

Zeta Tau Alpha (6)

New Mexico State, Akron, South Carolina, Oregon, Manitoba, Southwestern (Tenn.)

Total number of new chapters, 82, almost an average of 4 for each of the 21 fraternities

Largest number of new chapters—Kappa Kappa Gamma—eight.

Smallest number of new chapters—Alpha Gamma Delta, Delta Gamma —one each.

In the same period 103 alumnæ chapters were chartered.



SINCE N.P.C.
Alpha Phi (2)
West Virginia, Denison
Gamma Phi Beta (1)
West Virginia

A Plea To College Thetas

I'D SIMPLY DO ANYTHING—anything—to get some money so that I could come back next year. If I don't get some I truly don't see

how I am ever going to come back."

How many times you have heard undergraduates make that desperate assertion and you have thought to yourself—"Why, oh, why wasn't I born rich instead of beautiful so that I could help those sweet Thetas finish college and stop worrying over finances."

Well, here's how! Every time you hear a Theta moaning about her financial straits, you step right up and say to her, "Theta, dear, there is always the scholarship fund for girls who need it and you may be assured that they will help you out at a time like this and besides,

make it as easy as possible for you to repay the loan."

For a wise and understanding committee holds the purse strings of the Theta Loan and fellowship fund and knows so well the problems of girls in colleges today, where chapter houses are expensive and campus activities take every bit of extra money that would once have

practically paid the actual expenses of the college year.

The Loan and fellowship fund is available to every undergraduate Theta and is intended to act as a helping hand extended from the fund to the future of Theta womanhood. It is hoped that in time undergraduate Thetas will feel toward the Loan and fellowship fund as they would toward an older sister who would happily lend them the money they need without the slightest feeling of embarrassment or dishonor. As a matter of fact all negotiations are carried on strictly between your District president, the committee and you. It need not be discussed by anyone else or with anyone else, and you are thus spared the slightest embarrassment, even if you feel the greatest timidity about financial matters.

The plea of the Loan and fellowship fund committee, finally is, "Please, PLEASE, consult your District president before you give up your college course on account of low funds!"

Pauline Holmes Hoover, Indianapolis alumnæ, Publicity committee





CHAPTER NEWS



ALPHA—DEPAUW UNIVERSITY

Jane Shoef, Kokomo, and Helen Mae Kingery, Frankfort, pledged second semester.

Greencastle alumnæ entertained at dinner Alpha and pledges at the home of Pearl O'Hair, February 27, where Mrs Betty Locke Hamilton told of her visits to the meetings of Philadelphia and New York alumnæ. On Founders'day Greencastle alumnæ gave Alpha three dozen salad plates, and the Alpha club

of Indianapolis sent two dozen spoons.

Theta freshmen won for first semester the scholarship cup for freshman groups. Ruth Frederick was initiated by Alpha Lambda Delta, scholarship organization. Mrs E. C. Shireman of Martinsville gave Alpha a crested ring, to be worn each year by the freshman having the highest scholarship. Mary Downey Shaw now wears the ring. Mary Elizabeth Briggs, Margaret Harvey

and Eleanor Snavely elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

March 28 initiated: Ruth Frederick, Kokomo; Katherine Feree (daughter of Bernice Smith Feree) Danville; Eleanor Goodwin, Newcastle; Lois Grider, Cleveland, Ohio; Martha Gregory (daughter of Daisy Haughton Gregory) Williamsport; Mary Lou Hostetler, Olney, Illinois; Mary Pettit, Anderson; Mary Prickett, Marion; Jeanne Rafert, Fortville; Virginia Rariden (daughter of Margharita Burton Rariden) Greencastle; Mary Downey Shaw (granddaughter of Hannah Fitch Shaw) Kimball, West Virginia; and Virginia Voris (daughter of Edith Walker Voris) New York City. After initiation a banquet was served to initiates, members, and alumnæ guests. Dr. Lillian Brownfield acted as toastmistress. Toasts were given by Eleanor Snavely '30, Esther Glenn Green '31, Helen Foster '32, and Mrs Ethel Arnold Tilden, representing alumnæ. The song, Why do I love thee, was the theme for the toasts.

Miss Mary Rieman, District president, visited Alpha the week-end of March 28, being guest of honor at initiation and banquet. Saturday she met with the different classes. Sunday we entertained with a tea in her honor in-

viting all resident alumnæ.

Seniors graduating in June are: Kathleen Biegler, Mary Elizabeth Briggs, Lola Fisher, Esther Hager, Margaret Harvey, Madonna Myers, Rosalie Robbins, Lucretia Swinehart, Eleanor Snavely, and Mary Louise Whitcomb.

An informal dance March 22, was followed by a spread for the rush guests present. Our spring formal, May 17, will be the last dance of the year.

Mary Elizabeth Briggs, Margaret Harvey, Betty Lou Hunter, Josephine Travis, Mary Downey Shaw, Eleanor Peterson, Virginia Voris, and Ruth Frederick attended the Panhellenic Council scholarship banquet for all girls making 40 or more scholarship points first semester.

Activities: Sarah Crouch and Josephine Travis parts in Duzer Du pro-

duction, Seventh Heaven, March 11 and 12, for which Rebabelle McMahon was property manager, and Isabelle Hadley on the costuming committee. Josephine Travis, also in the cast of Craig's wife, given by Duzer Du, April 11 and 12. In the interhouse swimming meet, February 25, Theta won first place. For the Moan-on revue, student musical production, February 20, 21 and 22, Frances Morrison, Esther Glenn Green, and Kathleen Biegler were on committees; Marian Gravis, Cornelia Aaron, and Mary Prickett were in choruses; Marian Gravis gave a specialty dance. Mary Brandon, member of University choir. Rebabelle McMahon secretary of sophomore class for second semester. Esther Glenn Green, Press club initiate. Eleanor Peterson, Y.W.C.A. Cabinet for next year.

26 March 1930

Josephine Travis and Eleanor Peterson

Dr Lillian Brownfield, professor of English literature, will return in September

after a year's leave of absence.

Addresses: Mary Louise Travis Kendall (Mrs Charles) Gloucester, Mass.—Frances Dickey Naftzger (Mrs Charles R.) 321 E. Market st. Warsaw, Ind.—Mary Elizabeth Scripps Davis (Mrs George C.) "Knolls" Peoria, Ill.—Edna Arnold Killough (Mrs J. J.) 994 S. Hohman st. Hammond, Ind.—Virginia R. Graces Timmons (Mrs Colin, jr.) 812 W. M. Garland Bldg. Los Angeles, Calif.—Mary Miller Johnson (Mrs Norman) 302 Union st. Liberty, Ind.—Elizabeth Berryhill, 817 Judson av. Evanston, Ill.—Madonna Myers, Ladoga, Ind.

Married: Mary Aldred and Pierre N. Elliott, $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$.

Mary Williams Bryan (Mrs P. A.) is living in Shanghai, China.

BETA—INDIANA UNIVERSITY

February 27, initiated Hazel Fisher (daughter of Grace Clark and grand-daughter of Emma Jennings Clark) Ottawa, Illinois; Chloe James (daughter of Blanche Ott) Brazil; Martha Johnson (daughter of Margaret Davidson) Bloomington; Jane Myer (sister of Margaret Myer) Rensselaer; Mary Martha Snook, Mary Hillis Harris, Fort Wayne; Rosanna Engler, Catherine Saurer, Bluffton; Nancy Jay, Richmond; Judith Mauzy, Rushville; Margaret Jones, Newcastle; Ruth Shryer, Bloomfield; Grace Tittle, Gary; Josephine Archbold, Decatur.

February 8, pledged, Margaret Jane Haggedorn, Hammond.

Honors: Mamie Lesh, Sally Elder, Margaret Myer, Ruth Burgner, specialties in Campus affairs, a review produced by Garrick club. Katherine Palmer, associate editor of 1931 *Arbutus*, university yearbook. Margaret Myer, lead for third year; Hazel Fisher, Mary Martha Snook, Judith Mauzy, Peggy Haggedorn, chorus; Catherine Saurer, assistant musical director, all in *Jordan River review*, annual campus production. Hazel Fisher, Hillis Harris, Ruth Shryer, on the 1930 Freshman recognition list of 36 outstanding freshmen because of high scholarship, personality, activities, and campus attitude, as named by Mortar board.

Social: March 1, informal modernistic dance for rushees.

Beta regrets that Berta Clare Herdrich, was forced to leave college because of a serious illness, and hopes she will be back in the fall.

26 March 1930 RUTH BURGNER

Married: Feb. 15, Mary Elizabeth Cooper to Joseph Williams. Address, 830 Madi-

son st. Gary, Ind.
Born: To Mr and Mrs Verling Votaw (Elizabeth Mount) a daughter, Virginia

Claire, Feb. 16.

New addresses: Margaret Schumann Colburn (Mrs R. C.) P.O. Box A, Pacific Grove, Cal.—Virginia Marquette, 1610-16th st. N.W. Washington, D.C.—Marie Field Lehmann (Mrs Walter John) 836 Judson av. Evanston, Ill.—Gladys Rieman Hamilton (Mrs Robert) 2449 Fulton st. Toledo, O.—Mary Louise Bliss Gibson (Mrs Blaine) 1207 W. 3rd st. Los Angeles, Cal.

GAMMA—BUTLER UNIVERSITY

Pledged February 5: Marjorie Tate, Kokomo; Helen Lucas, Brookville; Loretta Kittle and Martha Adams, Indianapolis.

Initiated: Betty Ray, Indianapolis; Frances Zaring, Terre Haute; Dorothy

DeFrees, Troy, Ohio, March 23.

Pledges gave a bridge party, March 15, at the Women's department club. They are now working on plans for the pledge dance, April 25, at the Avalon Country club.

The Theta basketball team, Ruth Robison, captain, is champion of the intersorority tournament, defeating Zeta Tau Alpha in the finals. Muriel Adams recently placed first in national tennis singles rating for girls up to 18.

Gamma's new house is to be built on Fraternity Row. Both alumnæ and college Thetas are selling insurance policies, and carrying forward various plans for raising money, as all hope the new home will be ready for rush next fall. 29 March 1930

Married: Feb. 8 Jean Davis and Donald B. Woodward. Address: 496 Hudson st. New York, N.Y.-Mary Ann Huggins and H. Cornelius Krueger, Mar. 29. Address: Box 102 Station A Toledo, Ohio.

GAMMA DEUTERON—OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Initiated March 29: Sybil Avery, Brookline, Massachusetts; Betty Utter, Birmingham, Michigan; Martha Yingling, Lima; Mary Walton, Anderson, Indiana; Betty Covert, East Cleveland; Betty Clevenger, Marjorie Dietrick, Ann Laylin, Columbus; Helen Jackson, Nelsonville; Virginia Kraft, Fostoria; Olive McClure, Wheeling, West Virginia; Doris McCormick, Mary Louise Smith, Xenia; Helen Spence, New York City; Mildred Stillwagon, Niles. Initiation was followed by a formal dinner honoring the new members. The chapter was entertained by the freshmen before initiation at a dinner and original show.

Theta's most spectacular accomplishment is securing second place in scholarship for first semester. Alpha Delta Pi, first place, had an average two-tenths

of a point higher than Theta.

Louise Porch elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Helen Spence, freshman, elected to Phi, junior honorary scholarship society, Helen made an average of 2.62 out of a possible 3.

In the annual Dance drama given by Orchesis, Caroline Rose Redrup, Elizabeth Carl, and Wilma Hafenbrak had parts.

Anne Zartman, elected to the Home economics club.

24 March 1930 MARTHA WORMAN

New addresses: Margaret Lee Hayman, 959 Harvard Blvd. Dayton, O .- Margaret Huston, 2061 E. 100th st. Cleveland, O.-Nellie Allen Price Hoke (Mrs Bradley H. jr.) Salisbury, Pa.

DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

Initiated March 15: Margaret Stults (daughter of Minnie Parker Stults) Winnetka; Valeen Gabeline (sister of Helen Gabeline Ryan) Burlington, Iowa; Frances Jane Smieding (sister of Carolyn Smeiding) Racine, Wisconsin; Mary Bess Herrick, Farmer City; Mary Louise Condit, Beardstown; Margaret Rutherford, Peoria; Katherine Goodwin, Newcastle, Indiana; Frances McConnell, Wilmette; Jane Hardy, Galesburg; Vida Merchant, Frankfort, Indiana; Kathrine Hevron and Grace Miller, Chicago; Mildred Parkhill, Champaign. Ida Green Zeitlin (Mrs Jacob) District president, talked at the initiation dinner.

We had expected Mrs Banta, Grand vice-president, to be with us for Founders'-day banquet, February 14, but she was unable to come because of illness. Henrietta Pitts Martin (Mrs R. G.) came from Joliet to talk to us.

Emily Johnson has been elected president of Y.W.C.A. Billy Farnham is the new recording secretary of Woman's league. Alberdine Hatcher, retiring president of Woman's league, attended a Woman's league convention in Philadelphia, April 9 to 12. Anna May Richardson is business manager of Stunt show for interscholastic week-end, in which Frances Campbell and Grace Stevenson, Beta Omicron, are entering an individual stunt.

Theta was fourth in scholarship last semester.

Mrs D. Bligh Grassett, Grand treasurer, visited Delta in March, and made

helpful suggestions concerning chapter finances.

Vida Merchant, freshman, left college in March because of illness, but expects to come back next semester. Catherine Hawbaker has been affiliated by Beta Delta and lives in the Arizona Theta house.

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FRANCES EBERLIN

Virginia Adam has returned from six-weeks in Calif.

Addresses: Helen Bess Finch Cone (Mrs R. A.) c/o Curtis-Wright flying service, Grosse, Ill.—Mary Mead Brownell (Mrs Dean) Waterloo, Ill.—Dorothy Gibson Lenz (Mrs Carl K.) 18726 Winslow rd. Shaker Heights, O.—Eleanore Schulz Danly (Mrs Robert E.) 210 N. Austin blvd. Oak Park, Ill.—Helen Vreeland Hammerstein (Mrs Albert E.) 4515 Live Oak st. Dallas, Tex.—Pauline Percival, 502 S. Randolph st. Champaign, Ill.

ETA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Initiated March 15: Helen Askren, Aileen Blunt, Alice Deming, Olivia Gilkey, Mary Grote, Mary Leckner, Dorothy LeMire, Lois Sandler, Ruth Stesel, Margaret Whiting, Virginia Wright.

Pledged March 16: Eleanor Lane.

Social: Jean Briggs Hedrick was toastmistress and Edna Locke Hamilton, daughter of Betty Locke Hamilton, was the guest of honor at the Initiation banquet, March 15. The pledges gave a dance for the chapter March 2. Mrs Elsa Hemple Hill gave the chapter a lovely India print. We are looking forward to our Mothers' house-party, May 16 to 18.

Activities: Janet Upjohn was awarded the Scholarship ring, March 15, for the highest scholarship last semester. Alice Deming, membership in Portia; Olivia Gulkey, Mu Phi; and Winifred Hartmen, Comedy club. Miriam Highley elected treasurer of Panhellenic association. Jean Wallace, chairman of

housing for the A.C.A.C.W. convention.

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CATHERINE BRADLEY

Engaged: Sarah M. Patterson to Mathew J. Spence.—Leonora Worley to Leo John

Bacon of Washington, D.C.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Maxwell Fead (Florence Johnston) a daughter, Carol Joan, Dec. 28, 1929.—To Mr and Mrs Chapman (Kathryn Brewer) twin daughters, Joan and Jean, Dec. 1929.

New addresses: Martha Brantingham Elrod (Mrs Robert) 1953 Christie av. Toledo, O.—Stella Roth Boston (Mrs O. W.) 2021 Vinewood blvd. Ann Arbor, Mich.

IOTA—CORNELL UNIVERSITY

February 27 Iota initiated Marcia Brown, Ruth Carmen, Anne Herrick, Harriet McNinch, Harriet Mason, Elizabeth Mitchell, Elizabeth Rossiter, Ruth Stackel, Susan Koetch, Dorothy Sampson, Adelaide Wright, and Isobel Robertson. We were happy to have Mrs Comstock preside at the scene which she wrote. Mrs R. W. Sailor was toastmistress at the banquet, at the Ithaca hotel after the ceremony.

Honors: Helen Nuffort and Hilda Smith were elected to Mortar board, senior women's honorary society. Helen Nuffort was elected next year's chairman of Organized groups and appointed delegate to the W.S.G.A. convention.

Activities: Harriet McNinch, member of the debate team; Ruth Carman and Betsy Rossiter, leading parts in the Freshman women's play The golden apple. Phylis Dooley lead in the Dance festival.

Social: April 13 the chapter will entertain members of the faculty and

their wives at tea. The spring formal will be April 25.

7 April 1930 ROSANNA FRENCH CROW

Married: Almena Dean to Robert B. Crane, A Γ P. Katherine Terrasse Woodworth (Mrs R. W.) returns to the U. S. in April. Her husband has been for two years stationed in the Philippines with the U. S. Coast and Geodetic survey.

Louise Lytle has returned to her home in Pittsburgh, Pa.—729 N. St. Clair st.—

after two years in Okla.

KAPPA—KANSAS UNIVERSITY

Pledged: Virginia Berryman, Ashland; and Eloise Schermerhorn, Wilson. The annual black-cat tea was in the basement of the Theta house February 21. Each pledge brought a live, black cat to the tea and wrote a verse about

it. Eloise Schermerhorn received a prize for the cleverest verse. In the Tau Sigma recital these Thetas danced: Dorothy Bradshaw, Virginia Evans, Virginia Kroh, Fern Snyder, Barbara Barteldes, and Esther Mullin. The first W.S.G.A. tea of the semester was in charge of Lida Eckdall, Theta, and Hannahbel Hurst, Chi Omega. Theta won third place in the intersorority singing contest. Senior class committees include: Doris Dockstader, invitations; Lida Eckdall, publicity; and Sara Jones, program. Virginia Kroh, Maxine Boesche, and Dorothy Bradshaw are in the chorus of the spring musical comedy, in which Virginia Evans has one of the leads.

Inez Hammond made Phi Beta Kappa. Inez is from Alpha Upsilon chap-

ter, but has been a student here for the last two years.

Fern Snyder elected president of Woman's self-government association, the highest office here among women students, and Evelyn Swarthout, as its treasurer, while Anne Kent is its new point system manager.

Kappa gave a faculty reception March 19. Mrs A. T. Walker poured, while Mrs E. H. Lindley, Mrs P. H. Klinkenberg, Helen Wagstaff, Doris Dockstader, president, and Evelyn Watkins, received.

Initiated February 23: Mary Bass, El Dorado; Barbara Bartelses, Lawrence; Mary Bjoin, Staughton, Wisconsin; Mercedes Thomason, Virginia Kroh, Kansas City; Ruth Thompson, Ottawa; Virginia Evans, Dodge City; Edith Parker, Margaret Kercher, Topeka; Martha Mae Baugh, Garden City; Maxine Boesche, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Mary Scott Nelson, Holton; Martha Sidebottom, Norton; Winifred Wright, Junction City. Maxine Boesche won the badge for best scholarship, and Virginia Evans the Theta crest pin for most activities.

24 March 1930

LIDA ECKDALL

Mrs Virginia Pendleton Bownan was elected to the advisory committee of the university alumni association in New York for the coming two years.

Marjorie Davis was initiated by Delta Phi Delta, national art society.

Engagements: Lida Eckdall to N. Vena Bolin, Φ K Ψ.—Louise Schoenfeld to Lee Gradinger, II K A

Married: Helen Spence to John McMann, Φ Γ Δ.—Helen Haines to James Barrick,

Born: To Mr and Mrs Robert Jordan (Frances Edna Wright) a daughter.

New addresses: Elizabeth Walker Wyman (Mrs Andrews) 17 Appleby rd. Wellesley, Mass.—Dorothy Easton, 3724 Broadway, Kansas city, Mo.—E. Helen Sawyer Meier (Mrs J. Walter) 3706 Washington st. Kansas city, Mo.

Katherine Park is taking graduate work at Western Reserve school of applied sociology. Address: 1857 E. 85th st. Cleveland, O.

LAMBDA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

Rushing began the first week after mid-years and lasted three weeks. Lambda gave an open house, a tea, and a final party to which, by a new Panhellenic ruling, only girls with a seventy-five per cent average could be asked. The last party was progressive, began with a gypsy party around a campfire, continued with a Merrie Old England dinner with Lambda's traditional roast pig, and ended at the chapter house in a night club scene, with chorus girls, stunts and lots of confetti.

At dawn, February 22, Lambda pledged Marion Berry, sophomore, Brooklyn, New York; Agnes Parsons, sophomore transfer from Wheaton, Gloucester, Massachusetts; Elizabeth Eckhard, Eleanor Grout, Harriet Howe (sister of Mathilda and Josephine) Burlington; Charlotte Odell (cousin of Margaret Wallace) Bronxville, New York; Katherine Tolman, Reading, Massachusetts. Following pledging, a breakfast was served at the Hotel Vermont. March 4 Genevieve Petze, freshman, Hartford, Connecticut, was pledged, after which we had dinner at the Golden Pheasant tea room.

March 1 came the annual pledge dance at the chapter house.

Initiation for all these pledges was March 15, followed by a banquet on the roof garden of the Hotel Vermont. Naomi Thorn Crouter presided charmingly as toastmistress.

Lambda is second in scholarship of all the fraternities, both men and women's.

24 March 1930

ELIZABETH CORY

Lambda mourns the loss of a dear friend and sister, Emma Lane Votey, charter member. Mrs Votey always has been a devoted worker for Lambda, and was most instrumental in securing the chapter house. She was an inspiration to anyone who came in contact with her and was proud in giving four daughters to Theta.

MU—ALLEGHENY COLLEGE

February 8 Mu initiated Ruth Staples (daughter of Phoebe Appleyard Staples, Alpha Delta), Marjorie Ashe, Katherine Caperton, Betty Cappe, Virginia Charlton, Ruth Fish, Mary Katherine Klingensmith, Avonell Kooman,

Charlotte Merwin, Carolyn Smith; and on March 10, Mary Klingler.

Social: The freshmen entertained the chapter at a bridge March 20, spring flowers, prizes, and delicious refreshments making it a delightful party. The annual Panhellenic ball, a Chinese festival, was March 29 in Cochran hall. April 10 the Senior Hop, one of Allegheny's outstanding social events, was given. April 24 Founders'-day of the college was celebrated with an all-college dinner, a pageant, and a dance. Mu expects to give its annual spring party May 16 at the Meadville Country club, with perhaps a chapter dance later to close the college year.

Activities: Dorothy Fritz and Margaret Herr, members of varsity basketball team. Violet Troutman, a part in the Little theater production *Much ado* about nothing presented in April, for which Margaret Helmbold was on the production staff. Elizabeth McCune, chairman of the Panhellenic ball com-

mittee.

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Louise Power

Born: To Mr and Mrs John Richards (Leona Rupp) twins, Jack and Joan. To

Mr and Mrs Robert W. Thomas (Buelah Grauel) a daughter, Sylvia.

New addresses: Dorcas Hall, c/o Methodist Episcopal mission, Khandiva, India. Katherine Haines Schade (Mrs G. Donald) 252 Bonnie Brae av. N.E. Warren, O. Margaret McLaughlin McQuiston (Mrs W. J.) 2211 Easton av. Wesleyville, Pa. Gertrude Stuntz Krueger (Mrs I. C.) 114 E. 6th st. Erie, Pa. Evelyn Wyatt Dickie (Mrs Clark) 118 S. 2d st. Harrisburgh, Pa. Gertrude Snyder Marquis (Mrs S. S.) Bloomfield Hills, Mich. Marguerite McMinn, Brocton, N.Y. Virginia Hatch, 399 Deerpath East, Lake Forest, Ill.—Irene S. Colbert Bollinger (Mrs Charles A.) 8956 Eastwood rd. Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Florence Grauel Miller (Mrs Frank P.) recently published a book, Our Own Pioneers, which has been favorably received by critics.

Millicent Davis Dilley (Mrs A. U.) now lives in Cleveland.

OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Initiated March 9: Martha Burkett, Stuart Baird (daughter of Mrs Daisy Baird), Peggy Blood, Mary Greef, Jean Bellis (sister of Ocella), Louise Schillinglaw, Mary Alice Rogers, Dorothea Holt, Priscilla Frazer, Karin Waldstedt, Virginia Greelis, and Corrine Swanson. Recently, these new initiates entertained the chapter with a clever skit, a motion picture, written, directed, and acted, entirely by themselves. Moreover, Corrine Swanson is doing a dance specialty number in this year's Extravaganza.

Pledged: Frances Terry and Gertrude Ross, Long Beach; Mary Foster (sister of Harriet and Lucille), Lydia Berry, Virginia Ward, Virginia Kemper,

Genevieve Foley, all Los Angeles; and Agnes Tulk, Canada.

We were pleased to have Mrs Moore, Grand president, visit us recently. She told us about convention, to which many Omicron girls expect to go.

Omicron has bought a new divan, two chairs, and a bed room set.

There are several lovely new buildings on our campus. The Philosophy building, just completed, is called Mudd hall. Its architecture is Californian and it has in it many beautiful pieces of marble and fine wood. The new gym-

nasium is under construction. It will have two large swimming pools and every possible convenience.

Los Angeles alumnæ recently had dinner at Omicron's house for which the pledges put on a clever and amusing skit entitled Theta in the gay ninties.

MARGARET MARTIN 21 March 1930

New addresses: Florence Morris Alden (Mrs Holt W.) 45-21st av. San Francisco, Cal.—Jesselyn MacCully Packard, 1183 Sunny Hills rd. Oakland, Cal.—Frances Yeager Ahrens, 3415 Pearce st. San Francisco, Cal.—Iola McCrea Burns (Mrs Robert Wayne) 6510 Dennison av. Station L, Los Angeles Cal. The Burns' recently returned from four years in Cairo, Egypt, where Mr Burns was executive secretary for Y.M.C.A.. He now holds a similar position with the Y.M.C.A. of this city.—Gertrude D. Kice VanLaw (Mrs J. H.) 1045 Roanoke rd. San Marino, Cal. Helen Wallace Davis (Mrs Ralph) recently moved from Columbus, O. to Brook-

lyn, N.Y. where Rev. Davis is pastor of St Marks Methodist church. He will receive an

honorary degree from U.S.C. in June. Their third child, a daughter, was born in April.

Daisyolah Wilson Smith (Mrs F. Marion) lives at 68 Clark st. Brooklyn, N.Y. where her husband is pastor of the First Methodist church.

Helen Hargis Hill (Mrs C. Palmer) has a second son, born in Feb. Mrs Jane Thompson Locke, whose husband lost his life in the Cleveland Clinic dis-

aster, is spending some months with her small sons in France.

Margaret McKee Glasgow (Mrs Samuel) the California whistler whom the world hears over the radio, continues to entertain large crowds in New York with her whistling solos at Roxy's theater. Dr Glasgow in addition to his private practice is resident physician at the Picadilli hotel.

RHO—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Initiation was April 5 at the chapter house with the banquet following at the Lincoln hotel. Initiates: Angeline Ayers, Dorothy Hornung, Dorothy Lee Collins, Arline Brasted, Charlotte Lawson (daughter of Luella Brach), Elizabeth Leland (sister of Dorothy Leland), Margaret Schleyer, Ruth Tomson, Ruth Smith, Helene Magee, Jane Youngson (sister of Harriet), Margaret Beardsley, Jane Herrick, Mary Snow (sister of Mildred), Mildred McCloud, Eva Peairs (sister of Martha), Estherdel Sandall, Marianne Rowe, Zetta Johnson.

Jane Herrick received the badge given the pledge maintaining the highest average first semester. The names of Ruth Tomson and Mildrd McCloud will be engraved on the plaque for having shown the best Theta spirit as pledges.

Both honors were announced at initiation banquet.

Activities: Bereniece Hoffman, president of campus League of women voters, treasurer of W.S.A., new sophomore member of A.W.S. board. Jane Youngson, Vespers choir, new freshman member of A.W.S. board. Doris Powell, leading rôle in Kosmet show, Sob sisters, April 24. Lucile Carrothers and DeLellis Schramek in chorus of Kosmet show. Margaret Day elected to Theta Sigma Phi; of which Dorothy Silvis is president for next year. Mary Eleanor Aldrich, president of Pi Lambda Theta, succeeding Helen Day. Rowena Bengston, sophomore attendant to the May Queen on Ivy Day, May 1. Marjorie Bell, pledge, member of Intramural council.

Ruth McCormick and Fern Newsom, graduates of last August, were elected

to Phi Beta Kappa.

The Acacia chapter here is now known as Delta Phi Gamma, having returned its Acacia charter and petitioned for a Delta Kappa Epsilon charter.

Ruth McCormick, Fern Newsom, and Helen Day were elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Theta was the only group to have three members elected this year. Dorothy Silvis was elected president of Theta Sigma Phi. Margaret Ward Miller was one of seven girls to receive the "N" awarded to girls showing exceptional interest in W.A.A. who are also outstanding in scholarship, campus activities and character.

One-sixth of the hours reported for Rho during first semester were ranked

in the nineties, a very unusual record.

At initiation banquet Irene Ruwe, Helen Day, Bereniece Hoffman, Dorothy Proudfit, Thelma McPherson, Helen Manning, Catherine Gilger were awarded five dollar gold pieces by the alumnæ for raising their scholarship a full grade rank above what they made the last semester last year, or for maintaining ninety averages. Ruth Beck received the ten dollars awarded by the college chapter to the pledge of last year who showed the greatest scholastic improvement during second semester last year.

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HELEN DAY

New addresses: Silence Stewart Wilson (Mrs Lloyd B.) 2441 Tracy pl. Washington, D.C.—Ruth H. Miller Wheeler (Mrs W. M.) 322 W. Koenig st. Grand Island, Neb.—Alice Miller Devries (Mrs Donald) 248 W. 11th st. Fremont, Neb.—Sarah Margaret Towne Rathsack (Mrs H. W.) 4007 Connecticut av. Washington, D.C.—Ilah May Cottrell Smaha (Mrs C. F.) 323 Brush Creek blvd. Kansas city, Mo.

Born: To Mr and Mrs J. B. Spain (Julia Graves) a daughter. To Mr and Mrs John Haskell (Grace Bailey) a daughter.

Engaged: Frances Harrison and Herbert Woodland, $\Phi \Delta \theta$, from Ames, Ia. The wedding will be in June.

Donna MacDonald has returned to Omaha, Neb. after a year in Cal.

SIGMA—UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

Joyful anticipation of convention, panic at the approach of final examinations, and the prospect of graduation for some ten of its members occupy Sigma's thoughts in varying degree. Less solemn moments have not been lacking The annual Seniors' party was a riotous affair. Skits by the alumnæ, with the seniors as victims, afforded each prospective B.A. the opportunity of seeing herself as the inventive and somewhat libellous actors saw her. Balm was applied to injured feelings in the form of gifts from the chapter. At the Graduation banquet for the women of University college, Adelaide Macdonald, the only woman member of the staff present, replied to the toast to the faculty.

In the results of the annual elections, Theta was well represented. Margaret Conboy is president and Jean Trimble treasurer, of sophomore year. Betty Burton is treasurer and Betty Lang vice-president of Student Christian movement. Betty Lang was also re-elected to the executive of the League of nations club; she having been the originator and master-mind of the Model Assembly in February. Nora Doran, as delegate from Russia, made some of the most outstanding speeches. Mary Wyndow and Thelma Homfrey have been awarded the muchcoveted "T," the crest denoting athletic prowess—Mary for swimming, Thelma

for hockey.

Isabel Jordan won an oratorical contest, open to the women of University college, and has had a poem published in Saturday night, Toronto weekly. A revue, written by Maureen O'Mara, pledge, was produced at Hart House theater in March, and was well reviewed by down-town papers. The cast was composed largely of undergraduates, and a student orchestra, the "Varsity Entertainers," furnished peppy music.

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MARY A. CAMPBELL

Born: To Mr and Mrs Eric A. Prime (Edith Troop) a son, Mar. 1. To Mr and Mrs G. R. F. Troop (Marjorie Attwood) a daughter, Mar. 2. To Mr and Mrs R. D. Y. Scott (Kathleen Cordingley) a son, Mar. 29.

Helen Lacey, who is dietitian at Westerly hospital, Westerly, R.I. may be reached

c/o that hospital.

New addresses: Norma C. Taylor, 65 Highbourne rd. Toronto, Ont. Can.

TAU—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Tau is proud of its representation in the annual spring musical comedy, Whoa There, the combined production of the Woman's Athletic association and the Men's Union. Alice Shackleton was leading lady; Dorothy Dixon, in the cast; Eloise Forbrich, Sally Gwin, Bonnie Mee, and Phyllis Moore, members of the chorus.

Alyce Arnold and Marion Cole have been selected to sing with the Northwestern university A Cappella choir on its spring concert tour.

Tau was represented in the 1930 Student Congress by Virginia Saunders,

co-chairman of this fourth annual event.

Three Thetas are members of the 1930 Circus board—Florence Smith, who as Circus Sally heads the carnival; Elinor Massen, in charge of publicity; and

Helen Hansman, will conduct the relay races.

Initiation was March 15 for-Alyce Arnold, Margareth Chesmore, Marion Cole, Dorothy Dixon, Dorothy Emmert, Marie Franche, Eleanor Gwin, Louise Hickox, Elinor Keyes, Elizabeth J. Martin, Bonnie Mee, Dorothy Moore, Ruth Peterson, Jane Ripley, Eleanor Schulz, Dorothy Williams, Alberta Woodruff, and Mary Yanochowski. Following the initiation was a formal banquet for alumnæ and college Thetas.

Tau is proud to have raised its scholarship average last semester.

1 April 1930 FLORENCE SMITH

Born: To Mr and Mrs H. J. Neumiller (Grace Gridley) a son, Harry J. jr. on Christmas day, 1929. Address: 2306 N. Sheridan rd. Peoria, Ill.

New addresses: Helen McCoid Kelly (Mrs G. Burton) 700 E. Corrington av. Peoria, Ill.—Miriam Matthias Dolan (Mrs J. M.) 820 Judson av. Evanston, Ill.—Dorothea Matthias Hite (Mrs H. D.) 720 Hinman av. Evanston, Ill.—Gertrude K. Kenning Henning (Mrs William C.) 811 Forest ave. Evanston, Ill.

UPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

Because of the new rule which calls for second quarter rushing, pledges have to wait only six weeks to be initiated. But Ann Mortley, alumna, and Helen Halden, pledge leaders, found that a six weeks' pledge period means diligent training. These fifteen pledges passed the pre-initiation test and were initiated March 11: Ruth Hanford, Nivea Haw, Beatrice Jameson, Dorothy Jones, Leone Kehoe, Betty Leland, Dorothea Poppe, Agnes Quamme, Audrey Saxton, Jane Shellman, Nancy Smith, Jane Thompson, Ruth Townsend, Florence von Nieda, and Jane Woolley. A formal dinner at the chapter house followed initiation.

Every one is busy preparing for the Theta Midnite Whirl, to be given April 12 at the Nicollet hotel. This is a revival of an old custom, the last Whirl having been given six years ago. Bridge will be played in the afternoon, and there will be dancing to Art Goldberg's music in the evening. Three Theta choruses will entertain the guests: Jeannette Harris, singing a blues number, will introduce one chorus; a second chorus will dance costumed in colors suggestive of different colleges; flashlights, black trousers and caps, and red bandannas will create a Chicago atmosphere for the third chorus. The chapter quartette will sing, and Cedric Adams, former campus humorist, will preside as master of ceremonies. Edith Hunter, in charge of general arrangements, has a huge task, but is steering the whole entertainment ably.

We are proud of our quartette, for it has been called upon to entertain at various places, among them the Junior ball, foremost social function at Minnesota. Radio station KSTP broadcast its music over the air, too, if you please!

At the Junior ball, Theta was represented "up in line" by Lila Bonhus, guest of Harry Atwood, Beta Theta Pi, chairman of the managing committee of the Minnesota Daily.

Mildred Shulind and Leone Kehoe, members of Theta Sigma Phi, are assisting in plans for the annual Matrix banquet, April 11, Mildred as chairman of the decorations committee, and Leone on the entertainment committee. Helen Halden has been named as a guest from Theta.

Graduating in June: Louise Kiewel, Mildred Shulind, Ann Weisenburger,

Gertrude Mulroney, Edith Hunter, and Leone Kehoe.

With the beginning of spring quarter, rushing again will be upon us. However, there will be only two parties preceding pledging.

Leone Kehoe was given the Sigma Delta Chi Scholarship award having

maintained throughout four years a high average in all college work.

Ann Weisenburger, chapter president, was elected president of Sigma Delta Gamma, sociological society, which she helped organize recently, as a discussion group which calls in speakers from different fields.

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LEONE KEHOE

Born: to Mr and Mrs Warren K. Fawcett (Virginia Brown) a daughter, Nancy Jean, Mar. 4.

New addresses: Elizabeth Healy, 1711 Fitzwater st. Philadelphia, Pa.—Lillias B. Hannah Williams (Mrs Vernon M.) 745 Illinois bldg. Indianapolis, Ind.

PHI—STANFORD UNIVERSITY

Phi is proud to announce that Betty Alden recently was elected president of Associated women students. This office carries with it the presidency of Women's council, Women's conference, and several others, including the position of sponsor for freshmen in Roble. During this year Betty has been a junior member of Women's council and president of Y.W.C.A. Gertrude Laidlaw is Stanford's delegate to the convention of the Athletic confederation of American college women at Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Recently we have had two dinners for mothers of pledges; a tea for the new women students; and a tea, sponsored by Palo Alto alumnæ, for the benefit

of Women's clubhouse fund.

Lydia Ross and Harriet Huntington are traveling abroad, so are not with us this quarter. Anita Utt is also away, but Maxine Powers has returned.

Initiation for six pledges will be April 13, which will also be a home-coming day for alumnæ at the banquet afterwards.

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PAULINE K. SNEDDEN

Helen Monroe McNiece (Mrs Irwin) left Manilla in Nov. for Europe. She will meet Mr McNiece in New York in the early summer, and they will motor across the continent before returning to the Philippines.

Helen Hartley Greene is a scientific assistant at Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minn.

Married: Madeline Frick and Daniel Allen, Δ K E, Mar. 15, at Inverness, Calif. Theta bridesmaids were: Barbara and Anne Frick, sisters of the bride, and Eleanor Davidson, Eleanor Patton, Louise Merritt.-Mary Jane Clark and Garrett Elmore Feb 15. Address: Burlinghame, Calif.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Herbert Hoover, Jr. (Margaret Watson) a second daughter, Apr. 13.—To Dr and Mrs Phillips Thygeson (Ruth Lee Spilman) a son, Feb. 24. Address: 776 Belaire st. Denver, Colo.—To Mr and Mrs Robert Vermilya (Dorothy Cone) a daughter, Dec. 25, 1929, in London, England. The Vermilya family went to Italy for the spring and summer.

CHI CHAPTER—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

Elections are over and Chi is proud to announce Margaret Iglehart as president of Y.W.C.A., Helen Wilson as secretary-treasurer of Women's Athletic association. Elizabeth Miller as one of the two junior representatives on Convocation committee, Elizabeth Hopkins as a member of the first cabinet of Y.W.C.A., and Charlotte Johnston as cheerleader and manager of lacrosse.

March 21 Chi initiated Grace Alpers, Betty Austin, Elizabeth Atwater, Adelaide Ayling, Janice Becker, Nannie Iglehart, Nettie Iglehart, Aileen Mac-Farland, Elizabeth Marsh, Virginia Marty, Wilma McLauchlan, Delight Rushmore, Prudence Searles, Marion Silk, and Ruth Snagg. February 17 Chi pledged Dorothy Austin, Syracuse, and February 17, Helene Raschenbauch, Patterson,

Jeanne Barnes has been initiated by Phi Kappa Phi, honorary educational

society, and by Alpha Kappa Delta, honorary sociology society.

Chi gave a tea for Cornelia Straton Parker, Theta's noted author. The faculty of the university were entertained at a tea March 15.

JEAN MULLER 30 March 1930

Engagements: Katherine Coe to Robert Cornell, Δ T Δ , of Chateaugay, N.Y. Jeannette Haight to Robert Baxter, Syracuse. Elizabeth Keck to Dwight Simmons. Martha Bruning to Harold Cornell, Δ T Δ , of Chateaugay, N.Y.

Married: Dorothy Stowell to Albert Fletcher, B & II. Address: 125 Harrison st.

East Orange, N.J.
Born: To Mr and Mrs Frank Warren Buxton (Helen Chamberlain) a son, Frank

Warren Jr. Feb. 13.

Marguerite Lux is assistant director of the Progressive college for women which is being organized in Geneva, Switzerland, by a small group of Americans. Plans are being made to receive the first group of students in Oct. Communications will reach Miss Lux

at 18 Gramercy pk. S. New York City.

Elizabeth Burrows wrote in a recent letter to Syracuse alumni news that she is located in the very southern end of the Alaskan Peninsula, near Paul of Bay, at Belkofsky. The Russian priest, his wife and family, are the only other white persons in the village. Belkofsky is the outfitting place for expeditions making for the country of the great Alaskan bears, for the hunting of caribou and mountain sheep. Miss Burrows' official position is that of teacher in the U. S. Bureau of education school.

Dr Mary Frances Sweet has been elected a fellow of the American college of physicians. Dr Sweet now maintains her residence in Decatur, Ga. where she has been a member of the faculty and resident physician of Agnes Scott college for 22 years. At present, Dr Sweet is on leave of absence for a year's rest from her duties as college physi-

cian and professor of physiology and hygiene.

New addresses: Doris Gordon Cross (Mrs Charles) 1001 Cumberland av. Syracuse, N.Y.—Helen C. Sandford, Apt. 804—886 Sutter st. San Francisco, Cal.—Alice Ewing Brevoort White (Mrs Donald M.) Northgate Apts. Scarsdale, N.Y.

PSI—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

March 23 and 24 Gail Wilson (daughter of Gail Wasson Wilson), Janet Killam (sister of Maude Killam), Betty Sherrill (sister of Celia Sherrill), Charlott Ray, Dorothy Stockburger, Mary Elizabeth Lewis, Martha Jane Van Zant, Betty Henrici, Elizabeth Carter, Helen Safford, Elizabeth Schmidtbauer, Roselind Harbeck, Dorothy Grant, Mary Alice Van Nuys, Letitia Mayer, Nancy Coleman, and Margaret Greathouse were initiated. Mrs Wilson and Helen Olson, Tau, were visitors for the ceremony.

Nancy Coleman has been chosen by Ralph Kraut, Lieutenant-Colonel of

R.O.T.C. to be Military ball queen, April 4.

Theta's scholastic rank was nineteenth among twenty-four women's fraternities with an average of 1.6 which is in reality high, only two-tenths of a point below the second in rank. But all averages were unusually good, the lowest being 1.3.

The pledge stunt was considered the best ever. The setting was a formal fraternity party, each pledge, in tuxedo, escorting an active according to the minutest detail of social custom. Talent was exhibited in great variety with dancing singing story telling and even a Management of the control of the cont

dancing, singing, story telling, and even a K A ⊕ radio program.

30 March 1930 MARY BLACKWELL

Catherine Wood's engagement to Genaro Florez was announced Jan. 6. The marriage will be this summer.

Florence Patterson returned to China in Sept. expecting to go at once to Hwai Yuen and her normal school work. All railroad lines are cut, so she is in Shanghai awaiting developments. Address: China consulate, 19 Hwang Poo road.

Josephine W. Whitehead, is professor of music education, Eastern state college,

Madison, S.D.

New addresses: Elizabeth Elsom Moore (Mrs David) 5214 Edgewood pl. Los Angeles, Calif.—Elizabeth Anne Fueger Frank (Mrs Reimar A.) 1129 Murray av. Milwaukee, Wis.—Eleanor Innes Barr (Mrs J. F.) 723 W. 6th st. Ottawa, Kan.—Vira Winchell Corbett (Mrs C. S.) 551 Shackamaxon dr. Westfield, N.J.

OMEGA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

Only one more month until the end of the college year at the University of California.

March 10 there was a gala evening, for Omega not only installed its new officers but had its Freshman Show, which was most delightful. The guests of honor were our Grand president, Mrs Elizabeth Hogue Moore, and our District president, Mrs Ada Edwards Laughlin. We were delighted to have Mrs Laughlin stay a few days with us.

March 19 we had our exchange dinner with Gamma Phi Beta. March 12 we had a rushing dinner party, with ten guests. By meeting girls before the rushing season, we feel that we can get to know them better and they us than is possible during the big rush. February 24 we had Miss Lucy Stebbins, Dean of women, as a dinner guest. March 21 was our spring formal at the Oak Knoll country club.

Constance Pedder has been elected to Prytanean, honor society. She also

has a part in the Senior Extravaganza.

26 March 1930 Helen Delany

New address: Sinclaire F. Harrson Jones (Mrs Aubrey H. jr.) 169 N. Clark dr. Beverly Hills, Cal.

ALPHA BETA—SWARTHMORE COLLEGE

January 30 we had the rare pleasure of entertaining the only living Founder of Kappa Alpha Theta, Mrs Betty Locke Hamilton, at a tea in our lodge. Her stories about the birth of Kappa Alpha Theta amazed and interested all of us. Mrs Hamilton then attended a dinner given in her honor by Philadelphia alumnæ.

The annual Theta dance after initiation, was February 8 at the Aronomick Country club. The dance was a great success. We are all proud of the new Thetas: Katherine Warren, Katherine Wilson, Margaret Loram, Katherine Rowe, Elizabeth Holmes and Edith Jackson.

Imagine our surprise and pleasure when, soon after our dance, one of our members, Edith Smiley, issued invitations for a dance at the Aronomick Country club March 8. Needless to say, the chapter attended in full force and,

Edith, that dance of yours certainly was a great success!

We have also enjoyed some delightful suppers at the homes of members. Eleanor Martindale gave us a luscious supper one Sunday evening at her home in West Chester, where we enjoyed ourselves immensely, after supper singing Theta songs. Kathleen Quinn invited us over to her home in Cynwyd for an outside meeting March 5. The meeting was preceded by a delicious supper where everything from soup to nuts was served.

Activities: Helen Booth, Mary Cookman and Betty Sterling, varsity basket-ball letters; Caroline Jackson, Beatrice Beach and Elma Hurlock elected to Mortar board; Mary Dixon Palmer, elected president of English club; Kathleen

Quinn and Winifred Marvin, in the spring play Captain Applejack.

28 March 1930 Martha Roberts

Born: To Mr and Mrs William A. Clarke (Eleanor Stabler) a daughter, Mar. 10.— To Mr and Mrs John Emory (Esther Hicks) a son, Mar. 20.

Esther White Corry (Mrs Jack T.) now lives at 1230 Virginia av. Atlanta, Ga.

ALPHA GAMMA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Pledged: Betty Krumm, Columbus, and Margaret Fargo, Joliet, Illinois. Welcome extended to Elizabeth Miles, transfer from Beta Beta; and Louise Headley, transfer from Gamma deuteron. Glad to have Thelma Truby back. Sorry to lose Mary E. Babcock, who graduated winter quarter. Sorry that

Rebecca Jarvis is not with us this quarter.

Activities: In Strollers play—Katherine Born, Margaret Miller, Virginia Ferree, Ethel Hesselman, and Ortha Smith. Sara Louise Erwin elected president of Women's self government association and Margaret Miller, senior representative. Kathryn Clark, elected secretary for Y.W.C.A. Theta won the intramural debate. Betty Peppard and Sarah Williams were its representatives. This gives Theta permanent possession of the Sigma Delta Rho trophy cup. Olive Jones, chairman of intersorority sing.

Social: We enjoyed meeting Hermine Ruoff, Alpha Omega, Quinette Cowan, Alpha Iota, and Jane Olson, Tau, assistant dean at Northwestern. They were attending Panhellenic convention here February 14 and 15. We entertained for these Thetas at the chapter house. Our winter formal dinner dance was at

the Deshler hotel, March 7.

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LOUISE LAMB

Married: Mary Louise Hubbell to Benton Arthurs Dempsey, A X P, Dec. 31, 1929. Address: 597 Eastmoor blvd. Columbus, O.—Diana Taylor to Wesley George France, Mar. 2.—Virginia Fox to Ralph C. Golt. Address: 927 Worthington st. Apt. 4, Springfield, Mass.—Kathryn L. McClure and G. W. Quillin, 262 N. Ardmore rd. Columbus, O. New address: Helen McCray Reynolds (Mrs Wm. M.) 91 Brunson av. Columbus, Ohio.

ALPHA DELTA—GOUCHER COLLEGE

Founders'-day supper in Alumnæ lodge February 3 was the first meeting with Baltimore alumnæ chapter since the holidays. It was a glorious reunion with nearly a hundred per cent attendance.

The senior class was proud to win the famous Sing Song cup, presented for the best songs submitted in competition with the three lower classes. The senior hit-song to the Dean is already most popular and being sung by all classes. Bertha Smith was chairman of the evening.

Initiation was February 15 at Virginia Davis' home, for Florence Alexander, Jane Brown, Margaret Clapp, Florence Downs, Eleanor Frye, Verner Kline, Esther Uhl, and Mary Walthall. Banquet at the new City club following initiation. Janet Jeffrey was toastmistress.

March 7 and 8 the senior class presented Sheridan's School for scandal in Catherine Hooper hall. Betty Fritz played the part of Crabtree. Mrs Onnen, new director of dramatics, has attained a marked improvement in dramatic work. Excellent costuming and properties, with Mrs Onnen's technical training, gave the play a really professional air.

The Baltimore Country club was the scene of Alpha Delta's Spring Dance,

March 15.

The morning after announcement of Phi Beta Kappa elections there appeared in chapel a group of seniors wearing huge red cardboard keys and red monacles. The Society-of-also-rans chose this means of announcing their newly elected members, election based on extra-curricular activities and general college spirit rather than on scholarship. Betty Fritz, president of senior class, Janet Jeffery, president of city girls, Nancy Gray Larrick, president of Goucher Christian association, LaVantia Simmons, president of Vingolf hall, and Bertha Smith, college spirit chairman, were elected to membership.

Mary Shadler has been elected chairman of junior-senior banquet. She has also been appointed alternate delegate to Junior month. Florence Alexander

has been elected president of freshman class.

On the eve of spring vacation President Dorothy Stimson gave a party for senior class in Alumnæ lodge. A classmate of hers from Vassar, Sydney Thompson, entertained with plays and ballads.

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NANCY GRAY LARRICK

Josephine Cliffe's engagement to Mr Sam Colvin of New York City was announced while she was in Baltimore for the week-end of Mar. 8.

Elizabeth Creighton and Robin Smith were visitors for senior play.

New addresses: Christine Harwood Carmichael (Mrs James Hedge) 730 Hinman av. Evanston, Ill.-Nancy M. Crowe Heston (Mrs John Craig) 238 Grenox rd. Wynnewood, Pa.

ALPHA ETA—VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

Social: Anne Brown led the grand march at the Colonial ball, February The judges awarded Anne first prize for the most beautiful and appropriate costume. March 1, Alpha Eta and Nashville alumnæ gave a delightful bridge party at the Noel hotel, which was a success socially and financially. Alpha Eta is continuing her Monday afternoon teas. Recently we began the practice of sending two appointed chapter representatives to each of the alumnæ chapter meetings.

Pledged: Elizabeth Bogle, Nashville, and Gene Holman, Fayetteville.

Kangaroo Court was in February at the chapter house. The Judge and prosecuting attorney, Margaret O'Connor and Cora Thomas, respectively, so mingled frivolity and seriousness that every one enjoyed it.

Memphis alumnæ club sent us, as a Founders'-day gift, the most adorable

table lamp.

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LORA DEVAULT

Corinne Frazier has resigned from the staff of the Washington, D.C. Evening Star and become associated with the Sterling silversmiths guild of America.

Engaged: Mary Morehead to Charles Hawkins, X Φ .—Elizabeth Jackson to Alexander Pierce, Σ A E.

Married: Rosa Brockman to Brice Sumner. Address: La Salle Ct. Belle Meade, Nashville, Tenn.

Katherine Mims is traveling abroad.

Born to Mr and Mrs Thomas W. Slater jr. (Mary Hughes) a son, Thomas W.

Dorothy Bethurum, professor of English literature at Lawrence college, was on leave first semester, studying at Yale, returning to Lawrence in Feb.

ALPHA THETA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Alpha Theta announces the pledging and initiation of Ella Katherine Mills, Elizabeth Kercheville, Nancy Ladd, San Antonio; Elizabeth Autrey, Port Arthur; Catherine Ford, Orange; Adele Hatchitt, Wichita Falls; Virginia Stoneroad, Colorado, Texas; Catherine Baker, Dallas; Marie Schleuter, Nacogdoches; Margaret Harwood, Kerrville; Catherine Davis, Center; Hilma Reed, Galveston; Elizabeth Gould, Taylor; Ann Crawford, Bonham; Dawn Adkins, Amarillo. Josephine Gist and Mae Fields, pledges of last spring, were initiated also. Nancye Taquard of Galveston was pledged. We were privileged to have Josephine Duval, District president, as a guest during rush week.

Founders'-day banquet was at the Stephen F. Austin hotel, March 8. Hallie

Maude Neff was the charming toastmistress.

Elected to honorary societies: Russell Flowers, Hilma Reed, Elizabeth Kercheville, Ashbel literary society; Mary Jo Young and Mary Steeger, Orange jackets; Katherine Ford, Turtle club.

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LORAINE LUCAS

Married: Mary Catherine Massie to John Henry Baumgarten, E N. Edina Hagan to Hugh Clayton Welsh. Eloise Baker to L. V. Williams. Lula Lee Carter to David Locker. Engagements: Virginia Curtis to Baylor Bell. Blanche Curtis to Charles Womack. New address: Etta Gilbert Marley (Mrs James B.) 2223 Warner rd. Ft. Worth, Tex.

ALPHA IOTA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Ruth Hafner has been selected delegate from Washington university to attend the "Play Day" at Columbia, Missouri, representing the Women's athletic association. Quinette Cowan, new president of Panhellenic, was sent to the Panhellenic conference at Columbus, Ohio. Betty Fischer was elected president of Tanea, woman's literary organization. Anne Becker was in the annual Thyrsus play, R.U.R. by Carel Kapek. Virginia Candy was also a member of the cast. The Theta basketball team, for the second year in succession, won the championship cup. Eloise Burg and Eleanor Henken won the doubles in the intramural tennis tournament.

8 April 1930

DOROTHY HEMPELMANN

Born: To Mr and Mrs Foster Holmes (Gertrude Walther) a son.—To Mr and Mrs E. J. Phelps (Rachel Metcalfe) twin sons.

Married: Alice Strauch and John Philip Meyer.

New addresses: Margaret Byrd Chafee (Mrs Wm. Z. jr.) Park Lane hotel, Denver, Col.—Senta Retter McCarthy (Mrs Leo) 345 Gray av. Webster Groves, Mo.—Ellen Koken Fox (Mrs Carl, jr.) 736 Euclid av. Jackson, Miss.—Elizabeth Burton Hubbell Wright (Mrs Stanley) 321 Park av. East Orange, N.J.—Sally McRoberts Rawlson (Mrs Robt. C.) 200 Auburn av. S.E. Grand Rapids, Mich.

ALPHA KAPPA—ADELPHI COLLEGE

Ellen Penny, Carolyn Caye, Marjorie McCartney, Mary Savacool, Marjorie

Barry, Edna Whonseilder were initiated February 10.

Geraldine Moffett has the part of the hero in the Glee club presentation, Sweethearts. Lydia Stringham is an executive of senior class. Helen Matz, Mildred Pattison and Marjorie Leward are ushers for the Varsity play, The devil's disciple. Five Thetas are on the Daisy Chain, Susan O'Connell, Geraldine Hildebrand, Marjorie McCartney, Mary Savacool, and Ethel Davis.

Two Theta seniors, Lydia Stringham and Mildred Pattison, have been elected

to the honorary society, Delta Tau Alpha.

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ETHEL DAVIS

Engaged: Lydia Stringham and Donald M. Doughty.-Grace Chardavoyne and

Ruth Lamb and Ikuma Hassan have an apartment together in Gramercy Park. Ad-

dress: 142 E. 18th st. New York, N.Y.
Valide Hassan now lives at 119-20 Union Turnpike, Kew Gardens, L.I. N.Y. Born: To Mr and Mrs Lester Hearn (Grace Sand) a daughter, Barbara Jane, Sept. 19, 1929.—To Mr and Mrs George H. Ladd (Margaret Wait) a daughter, Margaret Hormer, Oct. 31, 1929. Address: 2109 New York av. Brooklyn, N.Y.

ALPHA LAMBDA—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Twenty-five members of Alpha Lambda took advantage of the installation of Beta Upsilon to spend a week-end in Vancouver. They returned charmed by the hospitality and enthusiasm of the new Thetas.

We were fortunate to have Mrs Walker, District president, with us for a few days, the first chance many of us had to know her. She gave us many help-

ful suggestions.

Marian Cheney had the title rôle in the university's most recent play, The wife of Ionak, a Norwegian tragedy by Mrs. Esther Shepard.

Janet Boring is in the chorus of the Junior girls' vodevil. Harrilyn Jones and Marian Moser are presenting a singing act of their own. Gertrude Austin, Alpha Sigma, is also featured as a singer.

Margaret London Lindsey, Elizabeth Turner Saunders, and Helen Hoska

McCaughey, are new members of our Advisory board.

Ruth Andersen had one of the principal rôles, as companion to Deïrdre, in the dance drama Deïrdre presented by the university in February.

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ELEANOR BUSH

Born: To Mr and Mrs Elmer Kerns (Ruth Field) a daughter, Sara Frances, Mar. 3.-To Mr and Mrs Myron Vincent Judd (Faith Cleland) a daughter.—To Mr and Mrs Lloyd Vance (Ruth Abel) a son.—In the March issue the birth of a son to Mr and Mrs Earl Morrison was announced. Mrs Morrison was Lora Wallace not "Lora Maxwell" as stated in the original item. Address: 1217 20th av. Spokane, Wash.

Esther Vandercook is to be married to Lawrence Keller of Longview April 17.

Margaret Lewis and her mother have sailed via the Panama canal, to tour in Europe and the British Isles.

Mary Stewart Ferry, accompanied by her mother, leaves shortly for Paris to visit her sister Frances, who has been studying art in Paris for two years.

New address: Eunice Storey de Chazeau (Mrs-) 10 Appian Way, Cambridge, Mass.

ALPHA MU—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

Initiated February 16: Evelyn Shoemaker, Margaret Neff, Margery Barclay, Dorothy Orr, Virginia Burns, Virginia Stuart, Margaret Rowell, Louise Hoss, Lucy Grant, Mildred Milam, Margaret Mauze, Adelaide Martin, Margaret Osterloh, Margaret Nichols, and Frances Patterson.

New pledges: Nancy Brown, Genell Roland, Aileen Wallace, all of Kan-

sas City.

Martha Harlan, Beta Beta, has been affiliated.

Marion Hockensmith is St Patrick's queen; Dorothy Taylor, Military queen. Margaret Osterloh, lead in a college dramatic production.

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JULIA DAVIS

Married: Elizabeth Thurmond and Walter Lawrence DeNoya, Σ A E, Jan. 6. Address: 5720 Rockhill rd. Kansas city, Mo.—Sally Juden and Ronald S. Reed, Φ Γ Δ . Address: Beverly Apts. Columbia, Mo.—Mary Alice Corder and Harold Blake Walker, II K A, Boston Univ. Feb. 1. Address: 3506 Gillham rd. Kansas city, Mo.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Frank Baker Stacey (Emily Chesney) a daughter, Nancy, Dec. 28, 1929. Address: 315 Dartmouth rd. Kansas city, Mo.—To Mr and Mrs Charles VanDyne (Myrtle Stewart) a son in Nov. 1929.—To Mr and Mrs Purd B. Wright, jr.

(Alline Smith) a son, Purd B. III, Mar. 17.

Mary Margaret McBride is to deliver the Commencement address in June, at William

Woods college, Fulton, Mo.

New addresses: Evelyn Bray Channon (Mrs James A.) 600 Westover rd. Kansas city, Mo.-Virginia Dawson Miller (Mrs Robert) 5611 Enright st. St. Louis, Mo.-Elizabeth Bruce Jackson (Mrs Doughlas A.) 4630 Wornall rd. Kansas city, Mo.—Kate Lee Culbertson, 555 Melville st. St Louis, Mo.—Janet Sweet Sanborn (Mrs Ferderic) 19 Grace ct. Brooklyn, N.Y.—Margaret Broach Browning (Mrs Howard B.) Stanleigh hall Apt. 103, Topeka, Kan.—Miriam Sweet Willits Alexander (Mrs Jerome D.) 706 N. 50th st. Omaha, Nebr.—Lois M. Harris Gray (Mrs Charles) 730 Heman av. St. Louis, Mo.—Mary Louise Angle, Clinton, Mo.—Helen Boyd Christal (Mrs Henry S.) 437 Madison av. New York, N.Y.—Virgene Connell Decker (Mrs LaVerne) 922 W. Main st. Apt. 2, Ardmore, Okla.—Augusta Spencer LeCrone (Mrs Geo. M. jr.) 1823 N. Franklin st. Colorado Springs, Colo.—Laura Owens Moody (Mrs Charles) Kentwood arms, Springfield, Mo.—Katharine Rowland, 308 Victorian ct. St Joseph, Mo.—Helen James Shields (Mrs Fred) Buffalo, Okla.—Elizabeth Taylor Meyers (Mrs Larry) 435 N. Walle st. Joplin, Mo.—Mary Ann McDonald Edeln (Mrs Cloyd) 1761 Calumet st. Toledo, Ohio.—Mary Quayle Bradley (Mrs Omar N.) Fort Benning, Ga.—Lois Luckhart Carroll (Mrs Curry) 2640 Lake st. Lincoln, Neb.—Mary Olive Crawley, Eudora, Kan.—Genevieve Hardey, 623 W. 68th st. Terrace, Kansas city, Mo.—Bernice Purvis Younkers (Mrs Kenneth) 2907 Linwood blvd. Kansas city, Mo.

Dorothy Worrell is theoretical instructor in Washington university School of nurs-

ing. Address: 415 S. Kingshighway, St Louis, Mo.

ALPHA NU—UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA

Alpha Nu has had a rigid house-cleaning. The sun parlor has been repainted a bright green. We are preparing for Interscholastic track meet in May, when rushees are entertained at the chapter house.

Mary Louise Davenport was elected to Kappa Tau, honorary scholastic so-

ciety.

Peg Butler has returned to college here after a year at U.C.L.A.

Ruth Nickey, Louise Lubrect, Nell Grant, Liz Maury, Helen Bruneau, and

Gerry Gray will graduate in June.

Despite the fact that winter quarter was a social quarter, Thetas have taken advantage of every moment to study hoping to raise the chapters' scholarship ranking from third to first.

Geraldine Parker represented Montana university in debate at the State normal at Dillon. She was accompanied by Marian Hobbs, coach. Ruth Nickey and Peg Jacobs, pledge, were named on the all star basketball team.

Lee Lantis, pledge, who left college last quarter because of illness, has

returned.

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JEANETTE McGRADE

Jess Cambron wrote a play, Autumn windstorm, that was presented by Montana Masquers Feb. 25. It was favorably commented on by critics.

Mrs Ramskill gave a party for the Thetas staying at college between quarters.

Theta alumnæ club at Butte gave a party for the girls going to Butte during the days between quarters.

Gladys Wilson is recovering from an appendicitis operation.

Married, Mar. 14, at the Little church around the corner in New York city, Miriam Woodard and Donald Harris Bell. Address: 303 Lafayette st. Salem, Mass.

New address: Frances Conrad Chambliss (Mrs Henry E.) 208 Blackstone Apts.

Great Falls, Mont.

ALPHA XI—UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

Activities: Theta was the only woman's house to place in the radio contest, in which all houses entered. The prize was a silver loving cup. Marian Camp was in charge of the program, which was based on Cannibal and Missionary idea. Loleta Jaeger, initiated and Nancy Thielsen, pledged to National collegiate players. Marian Camp, lead in a one-act play, Menfolk, produced by the department of drama: Marian had charge of housing for the high school Drama tournament; and charge of the sophomore class stunt for April Frolic. Carol Hurlburt is drama editor of Emerald, campus daily newspaper, had charge of serving arrangements for the campus luncheon. Margaret Luse and Carol

Werschkul, both pledged to Kwama, sophomore service honorary for women. Mary Gray, in charge of the decorations for the sophomore banquet.

The freshmen won the loving cup presented by Mrs Mildred Graham,

alumna scholarship adviser, to the class having the highest grade average.

Social: An informal valentine party was given in February. During vacation, a rushing breakfast was given in Portland at Barbara Barker's. A tea dance for rushees was April 19, and the spring dance will be May 3.

Four girls who dropped out of college on account of illness are back:

Margaret Tongue, Betsy Rice, Jean Adix, Marion Hubbard.

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CAROL HURLBURT

Mrs Clara Lynn Fitch, seriously injured in an automobile accident last winter, is improving greatly and is expected to be up and about again in another month (Written, April 5).

Mayanna Sargent, Catherine Martin Sargent (Mrs A. H.) and Margaret Spenser took part in the Portland Junior league play, *The toy soldier*.

Constance Roth, dramatic coach at Lincoln high school in Portland, won first place

with her play, Aye, aye, Sir, in a state wide high school drama tournament.

Born to Mr and Mrs Webley Edwards (Lou Mason) of Honolulu, Hawaii, a son, David Mason.

New addresses: Genevieve Shaver McDuffee (Mrs Danna E.) 808 Foshay Tower, Minneapolis, Minn.—Lorna Coolidge Miller (Mrs Howard P.) 1102 O av. La Grande, Ore.—Mary C. Harris Rivenburgh (Mrs John G.) 336 E. 26th st. No. Apr. B, Portland, Ore.—Hope McKenxie Pillars (Mrs H. O.) 45 Lower Crescent, Sausalito, Cal.—Miriam Holcomb Allen (Mrs Baltis, jr.) 492 E. 15th st. No. Portland, Ore.

Mr and Mrs Melville Eastham (Jessie Chase) are sailing in May for Italy.

ALPHA OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Activities: Our president, Marianne England, re-elected president of French club; Louise Milburn, lead in A certain young widow, Playhouse production; Margaret Kerr, chosen from last year's freshman class to membership in Alpha Lambda Delta, national freshman scholastic fraternity; Maxine Sanford, member of Y.W.C.A. Cabinet; Emily Guthrie, selected by the Fine arts school to have charge of the entertainment at the Fine Arts ball, April 11. A number of Thetas have been chosen to take part in the annual Soonerland follies, late in April.

Social: February 23 we pledged Catherine Brown, Ardmore, and Virginia Street, San Antonio, Texas. March 9 we gave a tea for members of the faculty.

March 23 we initiated Cordelia Cunningham, Miami; Jewel Marie Markham, Ponca City; Helen Morgan, Chickasha; Miriam Nickolas, Salina, Kansas; Betty Lou Dunning, Alleyne Finerty, Lois Steele, Mary Bennett, Louise Milburn and Louise Green, all from Oklahoma City; Lorraine Harkey, Snyder; Mary Elizabeth Polk, Ardmore; Dorothy Detrick, Okmulgee; Mary Sue Simpson, Tulsa; Mary Harrell Reinhart and Emily Guthrie, Fort Worth, Texas; Eleanor Gist, Amarillo, Texas; and Nona Burel, Chicago.

April 12 and 13 are the dates of our annual spring rush house-party. Plans for our annual Mothers' house-party, and for one to be held during Track

meet, are also being made.

26 March 1930 RUTH VAUGHT Born: To Mr and Mrs J. Thomas Hayes (Jane Everest) a daughter, Jeanne, Feb. 22. Alice Mae Kistler and her mother are on a tour of Europe. Home address: 1016

E. 19th st. Tulsa, Okla.

New addresses: Mildred E. Kistler, 1356 E. 27th pl. Tulsa, Okla.—Frances W. Leston Dodge (Mrs David M. jr.) 1804 W. Genesee st. Syracuse, N.Y.—Margaret L. Moore Swann (Mrs A. M.) Box 21, Tucson, Ariz.—Margaret Bastic, 1213 Court st. Muskogee, Okla.—Dorothy Spaulding, 2329 E. 1st st. Long Beach, Cal.—Augusta Buckles Bates (Mrs Eldred) 106 E. 15th st. Tulsa, Okla.—Mildred Wright, Paige st. Norman, Okla. Married: Marjorie Norris and John Montague Hayner, jr. Nov. 29, 1929.

ALPHA PI—NORTH DAKOTA UNIVERSITY

The scholarship cup, offered by city Panhellenic to the group having the highest average last semester, was won by Kappa Alpha Theta. The cup was presented at a banquet given by city Panhellenic for all women's fraternities on campus.

Kappa Alpha Theta received also on March 28, a cup in honor of its having the highest average of all fraternities, both men's and women's at the

university.

The Mothers' club entertained March 6, and the Theta alumnæ club March

20, in honor of the chapter winning these scholarship cups.

Viola Wood won first prize for highest pledge average last semester. This prize was offered by Margaret Beede, an alumna.

Viola Wood, Carol Lillo, and Lydia Carr have their names on the Univer-

sity Honor Roll.

Two cups were won by the juniors and sophomores of Kappa Alpha Theta, for perfect attendance during Carney song contest the last week in February. Theta is one of the ten groups chosen in the preliminaries to present acts for Flickertail Follies in May.

Our last party in March was a theater party.

Louise O'Connor, Eleanor Carr and Lydia Carr were initiated March 13.

Activities: Leona Booth pledged to Pi Lambda Theta, national Educational society. Marjorie Graham pledged to Nu Delta Pi, home economics society. Eleanor Carr and Helen Swanston, parts in the operetta Pirates of Penzance. Alice Gilberston appointed director of Northern Interscholastic press association. Helen Benson initiated into Phi Chi Theta, National commerce society. Lydia Carr pledged to Delta Phi Delta, National art society.

24 March 1930 LYDIA CARR

Married: Lois Jones and Dr Albert VanderVeer, III. Address: 421 W. 24th st. New York, N.Y.

Engaged: Alice Gilbertson and Lloyd Stone, A T Ω. Genevieve Vold and Frank Smith, A T Ω. Jean Eddie and Owen McKee, K Σ.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Sinclair Walen (Ruth Sinclair) a son.—To Mr and Mrs Paul Shorb (Gertrude Healy) a son.—To Mr and Mrs Richard B. Black (Ruth Schlaberg) a son, Feb. 3. Address: 6405 Irwin ct. Oakland, Cal.

New addresses: Magnetar Pray General delivery Sector Acad Cal. Buth Mr.

New addresses: Margaret Pray, General delivery, Santa Ana, Cal.—Ruth McLaughlin Fergeson (Mrs Ralph) 6331/2 N. Orange st. Glendale, Cal.—Mary Gowran Lillibridge (Mrs H. D.) 423 Gracelon av. Olympia, Wash.—Jean Hutchinson Ely (Mrs C. B.) 106

Broadway Apts. Lewiston, Mont.

Aldene A. Barrington is clerk to U. S. Commercial attache in Bogota. Miss Barrington transferred from North Dakota to Barnard, where she received her A.B. and a Phi Beta Kappa key in 1925, after which she taught two years in Porto Rico. Present address: c/o American Commercial attache, Apartado 798, Bogota, Columbia, S.A. One other Theta lives in Bogota, Jayce McNeil Preston (Mrs R.) Lambda.

ALPHA RHO—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Initiated March 9: Esther Dunn, Groton; Mary Spaulding, Westfield, Iowa; Rosemary Walker, Blunt; Edna Williams and Neva Middlewood, Ipswich; Lucille Quirk, Highmore; Ruth Wagner, Philip; Margaret James, Vermilion; Velma Carlson (sister) Sioux Falls; Esther Smith, Yankton; Alwayne Burkhart, Kingsley, Iowa; Gertrude Bennett, Sioux City, Iowa.

Elizabeth Frary was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, the second Theta so honored

this year.

Each year Strollers, men's organization, puts on a vaudeville of original acts by fraternities. This year, *Backstage*, the act put on by Thetas and Betas, by popular vote, was awarded first prize, fifty dollars and a large silver loving cup.

As Alpha Rho members have twenty-two brothers on campus, the chapter decided to entertain them in groups. In the first group as dinner guests were brothers who are members of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Beta Theta Pi, and Phi Chi.

Elizabeth Babb, student in the music college, gave her sophomore cello recital March 16. Elizabeth Frary plays in the University string quartet which gives concerts at the university and over the state. Except for Elizabeth, all the players are members of the music faculty.

Activities: Dorothy Whitemore, elected president of Latin club. Dorothy Clark, elected president, and Ruth Payne, treasurer, of Alethian society. Ruth Payne, elected treasurer of Women's athletic association. Jean Robbins, elected

by Student body as the most popular girl on campus.

Kappa Alpha Theta tied with Alpha Phi for second place in the rifle tournament. The independents took first honors. Margaret James and Dorothy Cole are members of the university girl's rifle team.

No date No signature

Engaged: Elizabeth Bell and James Sweet. Claire Riffle and Harry Beach. Born: To Dr and Mrs F. H. Cooley (Crystal Craine) a daughter, Joan, Mar. 8.—To Mr and Mrs A. E. Mead (Gwen Thomas) a son, John Richard, Feb. 1. Address: Flandreau, S.D.

New addresses: Hazel J. Jackson Whitmore (Mrs William K.) 3730-81st st. Apt. D15, Jackson Heights, N.Y.—Margaret Miller, 126 W. Whiting st. Fulleron, Cal.—Nellie Riedesel Poole (Mrs Floyd R.) 1400 St Paul st., Denver, Col.—Edna Lass, Mound city, S.D.—Edna Thomas Bross (Mrs Raymond) Box 237, Rapid city, S.D.—Margaret E. Reid, Roberts Apts. 7, 4846 Rosewood av. Hollywood, Cal. Miss Reid is in the Trust department of the Security-first national bank of Los Angeles; and reports that the Los Angeles "Founders'-day banquet filled me with renewed interest and enthusiasm."—Margaret Sterling Jorgenson (Mrs) 1440 N. State st. Chicago, Ill.

ALPHA SIGMA—WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE

New pledges: Mildred Robinson (sister of Eleanor, Catherine, and Dorothy) Spokane; Anne Madsen, Tacoma; Helen Patterson, Prosser; Leona Saunders, Everett.

March 15 initiated: Margaret Allen (sister of Erma) Seattle; Janet McCroskey (daughter of Marion Flood McCroskey) Garfield; Helen Thompson, Edna Mae Endslow, Josephine Porter, Claudia Randall, Spokane; Mary Lasher, Olympia; Sylvia Jones, Louise Wilson, Tacoma; Eunice McCrory, Palouse; Jane Secrest, Longview; Patricia Sampson, Seattle; Jane Pratt, Yakima. Mrs Beryl Flood Lewis, Spokane, one of Alpha Sigma's founders, was present for

initiation. March 16 the sophomores gave a breakfast honoring the new members, after which all Thetas went to church in a body.

The annual Spring formal was at the chapter house March 29. Several out-of-town alumnæ, five rushees, and representatives from other women's fraternities were guests. Honoring Miss Anne Harwood Sims, Psi, a bridge luncheon was given March 1.

Activities: Dorothy Murphy, Women's big five for Campus day. Helen Thompson, Pi Lambda Theta, educational honorary. Margaret Troy, president upperclassmen Y.W.C.A. commission. Marguerite Sherfey and Sylvia Jones, members Eurodelphian society, literary honorary. Mary Lasher and Janet McCroskey, *Chinook* staff. Helen Patterson, Katherine Schaeffer and Violet Bixler, class basketball teams.

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DOROTHY M. PRIOR

Engagement: Kay Fulton To Zeno Katterle, T K E.

Born: To Mr and Mrs H. B. Briggs (Opal Green) a daughter, Barbara Jeanne, Jan. 24.—To Mr and Mrs J. B. Friel (Catherine Mathews) a daughter in Dec., 1929.

New addresses: Gertrude Bryan Hill (Mrs Paul Keith) San Carlos and 9th av. P.O. Box 1066, Carmel-by-the-sea, Cal.—Frances McCracken Ramsay (Mrs Hugh B.) Route 8, Box 246, Portland, Ore.—Florence Weed Herreid (Mrs Walter) 2127 California st. Huntington Park, Cal.—Kathryne Fowler Buffington (Mrs Frank M.) 1414 Cravens st. Torrance, Cal.—Eva LaFollette Kunz (Mrs Claude A.) Wellington Apts. G, 6th and Stevens, Spokane, Wash.

Suzanne LaFollette is receiving many fine reviews of her new book, Art in America, which was published first in Dec. 1929, by Harpers. She is editor of The new freeman, a weekly magazine. Address: 22 E. 10th st. New York, N.Y.

ALPHA TAU—UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

Alpha Tau gave a formal dinner dance at the Chatterbox, February 20. February 26 repledged: Ann Louise Dom, Margaret Dunlop, Marjorie Japp and Ruth Jung. February 27 pledged: Eleanor Ballantyne (sister of Rosalie), Ann Benedict, Caroline Coffield; Patricia Greer, Dayton; Sally Harkness, Mary Japp, Virginia Maxwell, Caroline Miller, Virginia McBride; Sarah Frances Newman, Versailles, Kentucky; Margaret Shields, Dorothy Stephens (sister of Hulda and Anne).

March 23, Theta pledges gave a tea, at the home of Margaret Dunlop, for the pledges of the other fraternities represented here. March 27 the pledges are giving a co-ed party for the chapter at the home of Caroline Miller. April 4 the informal pledge dance of Alpha Tau will be at the Fort Mitchell Country club.

The week of March 9 was reserved for the dedication of the new Y.M.C.A. building and the presentation of the Gamble Memorial fireplace, a gift of the students of 1929, which was received by Mr Gamble on behalf of his two brothers and himself.

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MARY BERESFORD

Born: To Mr and Mrs Eugene Nickerson (Ethel Atkins) a son, Eugene White Nickerson, III, Feb. 10.

New addresses: Inez Volrath Holte (Mrs Nordahl E.) 7309 Terrace, Kansas city, Mo.—Dorothy Dysart Fellers (Mrs Bonner F.) Fort Mills, Philippine Is,

ALPHA UPSILON—WASHBURN COLLEGE

March 15, Alpha Upsilon initiated Jane Griggs, Kathryn Hoy, Jette Lee Luellen, and Marcia Mills (daughter of Allabel Troutman Mills) all of Topeka; Ruth Ewing, Olathe; Ruth Finch, Eureka; Rosemary Hopkins, Neodosha; Margaret Soller (sister of Winona, Rho); Marjorie White, Chanute; and Lois Wohlford, Centralia.

Mary Louise Lonker, Ashland, was pledged.

For our booth at the May fête, we plan to have a sandwich stand, being

decorated to represent Ireland.

Activities: Helen Henry and Lenore Poole, parts in Little theater productions. Susan Snyder, the lead in *Enter Madame*, member of Tau Delta Pi, local scholastic society and of Pi Gamma Mu, national social science society. Juanita Hobbs and Alice Voiland, Tau Delta Pi. Marcia Mills, undergraduate representative of Y.W.C.A. Eloise Wolcott, president of Blue Peppers. Catherine Reed, treasurer of Student council. Carolyn Edson, vice-president of junior class. Charlotte Mullinix, secretary of sophomore class. Carolyn Edson, chairman, Mildred Lee and Lenore Poole, members, junior prom committee. Doris Kistler and Jette Lee Luellen, new members of Woman's athletic association.

25 March 1930 MIRIAM DUMARS

Born: To Mr and Mrs Theodore R. Blevins (Margaret Seaton) a son, Ted jr. Mar.

23. The Blevins have a three year old daughter, Lois Margaret, too.

New addresses: Bernice Hemus Wahle (Mrs Richard) 1424 Plass st. Topeka, Kans.—Louise Smith Casey (Mrs Marlin) 1341 Wayne st. Topeka, Kans.—Marguerite Varner Hughes (Mrs Andrew A.) Hastings, Neb.—Muriel Hobson Clarke (Mrs Ross) 4421 Main st. Apt. 208, Kansas city, Mo.

Alice Voiland and Jean St John are employed in the social science department of the United States steel corporation in Ensley, Alab. Alice is at Bayview cottage, and

Jean at Winonah cottage.

Julia Larimer is sailing June 17 for a five months' cruise to Iceland, the North Cape, Scandinavia, and the continent.

ALPHA PHI—NEWCOMB COLLEGE

Alpha Phi had mid-term initiation for Katherine Cobb of Fort Smith, Arkansas; Dorcas Dusenbury of New Orleans; and Frances Van Winkle (daughter of Elva Young Van Winkle, Iota) of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Marjorie Wilson, pledge, was elected to represent the freshman class on Student council. Louise Powell and Julia Gladney were elected to House coun-

cil, as sophomore and junior representatives.

Berta Denman won a junior bowling tournament. Dixie Tharp and Jenny Olsen, pledges, are on freshman basketball team, and Jenny also made the varsity basketball team. Ellen Lyman won the sophomore bowling and pingpong championship. Mary Hammond McGee is on senior basketball and bowling teams.

Putt-Putt has become quite popular here. Alpha Omicron Pi is sponsoring an interfraternity tournament. Theta has entered a team, and hopes to come

out ahead.

Easter is not far off, and with it comes our house-party on the Gulf Coast. This year we have the annex to the Weston hotel at Bay St. Louis.

Élsa Storck, Mary Hammond McGee, Louise Powell, and Berta Denman are going abroad this summer.

We received a box of candy from Florence Sesler Morris, which we enjoyed very much.

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MAY THORNTON

ALPHA CHI—PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Social: Annual spring dinner-dance at the chapter house May 3. Dinner was enjoyed by the entire chapter at the Sigma Phi Epsilon house February 20, and at the Phi Gamma Delta house March 18. Sigma Chi, first established men's fraternity on Purdue campus, entertained at a Founders'-day tea March 9, celebrating its fiftieth anniversary, with Alpha Chi chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta, first women's fraternity, assisting. The Mothers' club gave its annual buffet dinner for freshmen February 19. Lafayette alumnæ chapter gives a tea

and open house for Alpha Chi May 18.

Activities: Barbara Fisher, chairman of Mortar Board Gingham Gallop, at which the co-eds entertained the men, March 21. Georgia Dorner, initiated by Theta Chi Gamma on the basis of high scholarship in English. Georgia Dorner and Lucy Keiser, initiated by Gold Peppers, an honor based on interest in athletics. Jane Jones, elected treasurer of Women's athletic association. Lydia Marks, lead in Playshop production Pygmalion. Thetas having parts in the Harlequin club production, The right girl, during Junior prom week-end, April 25, are-Priscilla Ramsey, lead; chorus, Virginia Hager, Jo Shelby, Keltie McCoy, Ann Stalcup, Martha Miller. Parts in Little theater production, The Royal family, Lydia Marks, lead, and Virginia Hager.

Courtesy week will begin April 4 and initiation will be April 9 for-Josephine Shelby, Keltie McCoy, Lafayette; Priscilla Ramsey, Harriet Hall, West Lafayette; Marian Crane, Lebanon; Lura Rohrer, Miami Beach, Florida; Virginia Hager, Louisville, Kentucky; Betty Amick, Delphi; Ann Stalcup, Elnora;

Elinor Ellison, Delavan, Wisconsin.

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BETTINA IRELAND

Married: Frances Smith to C. Linn Seiler, Aug. 16, 1929, at Bryn Mawr, Pa. Ad-

dress: Box 12, Gladwyne Colony, Gladwyne, Pa.

Born: To Mr and Mrs J. W. Beach (Mary Agnew) a daughter.

Katherine Boothby is secretary to the manager of the insurance department of the Bank of America, in Los Angeles. Address: 303½ S. Clark dr. Los Angeles, Cal.

Mary Margaret Kern is editorial associate of the monthly magazine of the Union

league club of Chicago. Address: c/o L. S. Young, 7734 Jeffery av. Chicago, Ill.

Margaret Horan has moved to 207 Piccadilly, 16th and N. Pennsylvania, Indianapolis, Ind.

ALPHA PSI—LAWRENCE COLLEGE

Alpha Psi pledged Elizabeth Clemons, Racine, and repledged Virginia

Johnson, Chicago, February 28.

Initiated: Alice Bradford, Elizabeth Clemons, Mary Cook, Dorothy Davis, Elizabeth Fox, Virginia Johnson, and Mary Leicht, March 8. Initiation ceremony was followed by a formal dinner at the Conway hotel. Mary Cook has her name engraved upon our scholarship plaque for having the highest pledge average.

Theta entertained Panhellenic representatives at supper March 19, and two days later gave a tea for women members of the faculty, faculty wives, and

Alpha Chi Omega, just installed at Lawrence.

In the first of two indoor track meets, in which boys wearing women's fraternity colors competed, the team representing Kappa Alpha Theta won first

place.

We lose two girls by graduation, Dorothy Jane Miller and Eleanor Lea. Eleanor was chapter president, besides being one of the four best loved girls in college, president of National collegiate players, and a member of Mortar

Alpha Psi plans a reunion during Commencement week, the first week in June.

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JULIA LADWIG

New addresses: Maurine Barnes Turner (Mrs Chas. W.) 810 Steuben st. Wausau, Wis.—Mary Elizabeth Werner Ortlieb (Mrs Norman J.) 518 N. Water st. New London, Wis.—Mary Treat Thomas Corison (Mrs Guy E.) 734 Lin st. Peoria, Ill.—Marjorie Bellis Voss (Mrs H.) 726 E. College av. Appleton, Wis.

On March 1, Norma B. Cass entered a new position, reference assistant at the Michigan State library. Address: 822 W. Ottowa st. Lansing, Mich.

Married: Feb. 14, Mary Thom to Gordon Derber.

Margaret Ritchie has been elected to Phi Sigma, national biological society.

Born: To Mr and Mrs John Price (Evelyn Jensen) a daughter, Lucy Jane, Nov. 20, 1929.

ALPHA OMEGA—UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

Pledged: Katherine Bash, Dorothy Byrd (sister of Aileen), Mary Jane Brankston, Jean Cochran, Catherine Cronister, Margaret Ferguson, Alberta Hogue, Helen Hauser, Elizabeth Kunkle, Dorothy Lee, Eleanor Smith, Geraldine Smith, Jane

Walton, and Mary Jane Wolfe.

Activities of pledges: Dorothy Byrd, Helen Hauser, Eleanor Smith, Mary Jane Wolfe and Jane Walton are in freshman Why club, of which Jane is vicepresident. Jean Cochran does beautiful work on posters for many campus clubs. Alberta Hogue, Geraldine Smith, and Jane Walton are members of Pitt players. Helen Hauser is vice-president of freshman class, for which Dorothy Lee is W.S.G.A. representative. Basketball and hockey teams, Helen Hauser and Eleanor Smith; volleyball team, Jane Walton. Eleanor Smith, Y.W.C.A. finance committee. Mary Jane Wolfe, representative of pledge group to Pitkin club.

Activities of members: Margaret Hall presided at the national convention here in April of Cwens, sophomore society, and is secretary of Student relations committee; she has been elected president of Women's Self-government association for next year. Frances Stillwell, manager of basketball, of sports day, senior mentor, W.A.A. board. Frances Ambursen, president of Glee club, Mortar board, senior mentor, and senior cabinet. Rebecca McGare is soloist of women's Glee club. Elaine Foraker is news assistant on Pitt weekly, and elected junior class representative on W.S.G.A. for next year. Emily Irwin was selected as a "Panther's picked personalities"; the paper selects a "personality" for each issue. Elected—Jane Heckman, treasurer of senior class, and Helen Koenig, president of women's Glee club, for next year.

The chapter had a formal supper dance, March 28, honoring pledges. Pledges

reciprocated with an informal dance at the chapter house, April 16.

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JANICE TREES JOHNSTON

New addresses: Mary Chapman Williams (Mrs Frank W.) 623 Crestwood av. Buffalo, N.Y.—Martha Miller Squires (Mrs Bert.) Stanton arms apt. Pittsburgh, Pa.—Meta Ebeling, 14600 Euclid av. East Cleveland, O.—Adeline Anger Rey (Mrs Marshall F.) 46 Hamilton blvd. Kenmore, N.Y.—Hazel Killingsworth Brown (Mrs G. Egerton) 284 Harvard av. Montreal, Quebec, Can.

BETA BETA—RANDOLPH-MACON WOMAN'S COLLEGE

Pledged February 15: Margaret Hunter (daughter of Harriet Townley Hunter, Epsilon) Danville, Illinois; Harriet Doud (daughter of Edith Ebersole Doud, Alpha Gamma) Columbus, Ohio; Katherine Walton (sister of Sophie Walton) Palatka, Florida; Alice Pritchard, Hope, Arkansas; Alice Stinson, Camden, Arkansas; Elizabeth Boney, Stamps, Arkansas; Jean Ricks, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Katherine May, Circleville, Ohio.

Initiated March 10: Elinor Ritz, Bluefield, West Virginia. The annual banquet in honor of pledges was March 11 at the Virginian hotel. Later in the evening pledges entertained the chapter with an impromptu play. We were happy to have with us Mrs Bertha Campbell Revercomb, Kappa, and Mrs

Gladys Bagg Taber, Alpha Psi.

Alice Stinson won the pledge scholarship trophy, given the pledge making the highest standing at mid-term. Her average was 90.

The chapter had open house for the faculty February 23.

Sarah Davie is a member of Quilldrivers (literary society). We are proud of Sarah, who wrote the theme for May Day, which will portray May Day in King Arthur's court. Norma Schuetz is in the court.

The operetta given by Glee club, The alpenrose, was written by Gladys

Bagg Taber, Alpha Psi, in collaboration with Mr Taber.

We miss Betty Miles who left at the end of first term.

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BRUCE GAYLE

Jennie Belle Willmott was married Mar. 21 to Robert Louis Philippi. Address: 2436 Echo Park av. Los Angeles, Cal.

Ethel Beall was married in Mar. to William Wayne Walker. Address: Cairo, Ga. New address: Gladys Larew Doty, 1327 Offnere St. Portsmouth, O.

BETA GAMMA—COLORADO STATE COLLEGE

Initiated February 9: Ardonna Angerhofer, Aberdeen, South Dakota; Isabella Manewal, Cheyenne, Wyoming; Susan Wilson, Greeley; Lois Black, Denver; Alice Auld, Janet Henry, Helen Maxwell, Dixie Mitton, Wilma Welcher, all from Fort Collins. After initiation there was a lovely banquet.

Philippine Anderson, retiring president, gave a Pajama-bridge party March

12, as a welcome to the new officers.

We had a lovely house dance March 15.

Founders'-day banquet February 22, at the Brown Palace hotel, Denver, was celebrated with Denver alumnæ and Beta Iota, and honored by the presence of three national officers: Mrs Moore, Mrs Grasett, and Miss Green. The following week-end we were honored by a visit by Mrs Moore and Mrs Grasett. We were all deeply grateful for the inspiration and help received from them.

New Pledges: Mary Ann Maxwell, Majorie Maxwell, Denver; Glenna

Nix, Eaton.

Theta had the highest scholarship average, outranking all women's and

men's fraternities, and all non-fraternity men and women, first semester. Honor Students: Alice Auld is the freshman whose name will go on the Theta Scholarship cup. She had the highest average in the freshman class. Harriet Neighbors, sophomore, has the distinction of her name on the Home economics cup as having had the highest scholarship average during freshman

year.

Activities: Hazel Clark successfully carried the lead in The swan, that the Dramatic club presented February, 13, 14, and 15: and was elected secretary of senior class. Harriet Neighbors, pledged to Alpha Chi Alpha, women's journalistic society. Isabella Manewal and Shirley Newsome, members of W.A.A. Naomi Ryan, elected vice-president of Associated women students. Eagle, president of Alpha Chi Alpha, editor-in-chief of the edition of Collegian edited by Alpha Chi Alpha, of which Hazel Clark was an associate editor. Ardonna Angerhofer and Anna Lory, parts in the Spring play, Lillies of the field, presented by the Dramatic club March 28 and 29. They both will go on the annual Spring trip the Dramatic club sponsors through the state.

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ARDONNA ANGERHOFER

Engaged: Kathrine Abbott and Coyle Hilltard. Delia Oakes and James Powers. Ardonna Angerhofer and Wendell King.

Born to Mr and Mrs Marion Lory (Carolyn Sylvester) a daughter, Mar. 24.

New addresses: Norma Evans, 2691 Dexter st. Denver, Col.—Iva Catherine Watson

Davidson (Mrs Harry R.) 825 Hunter av. Bloomington, Ind.—Florence McClave Barton (Mrs Earl W.) 317 West st. Bloomsburg, Pa.—Edna Watson Berg (Mrs D. A.) Eaton,

BETA DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

Pledged February 12: Dorothy Anne Clark, Glendale; Ruth Coles, Phoenix; Elizabeth Oakes (daughter of Harriet Waller Oakes, Eta) Cleveland, Ohio.

Mollie Sweeney returned after a semester's absence. Catherine Hawbaker, transfer from Delta, is living in the house. Leola White, president, graduated in February and went to her home in Yuma, but will return to receive her degree in June.

The pledges gave a French Apache dance in honor of the chapter Febru-

ary 21. The date for our formal has not been set.

Initiation was March 9 for: Nancy Alice Galbraith (daughter of Lucy Souther Galbraith, Phi) Phoenix; Kathryn Harms (sister of Lillian) Los Angeles, California; Charlotte Hermes, Tucson; Marjorie Johnson, San Antonio, Texas; Helen Judd, Glendale, California; and Caroline Montague, Pasadena, California.

Theta ranked first in scholarship last semester, with an average of 2.63,

having ranked second the semester before.

Jane Wilson has the lead in the Senior Follies' production of Songs for breakfast. Jean Williams and Mary Leonard also have parts, and Caroline Montague and Helen Judd are in the chorus. Lyla Wilson, elected to Pi Lambda Theta, women's education society.

The pledges gave the house a full-length mirror on Founders'-day. Other gifts, all greatly appreciated—a pewter set from Tucson alumnæ, an arm chair from Phoenix alumnæ, and a floor lamp and coffee table from Beta Delta

alumnæ in Los Angeles.

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CAROLINE MONTAGUE

Edith McDermott Rogers (Mrs Edward) was in Tuscon for a week-end during Mar. Lieut-Commander Rogers is now at Annapolis; next year he will be in New York city taking advanced work at Columbia university.

Josephine Mack Hubbard (Mrs Howard) is the able president of the Tucson Col-

legiate club.

Mr and Mrs Frank O'Reilly (Josephine Brady) announce the birth of twins Jan. 31,

Richard Brady and Patricia.

Jane Rider was one of twenty engineers in the United States selected to take a special course of six weeks in Cincinnati, under the auspices of the Rockefeller foundation.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Harold K. Stark (Susan Sweeney) a daughter, Dec. 19, 1929.

Address: Dos Cabezos, Ariz.

New addresses: Mildred Kelly Stevens (Mrs Albert B.) 3911 Liberty blvd. South Gate, Cal.—Virginia Poindexter, 907 N. 5th av. Tucson, Ariz.

BETA EPSILON—OREGON STATE COLLEGE

March 2 initiated: Virginia Reed (sister of Genevieve) Elizabeth Fletcher, Lillian Knutsen, Magdaline Mann, all from Portland; Esther Wood, Salem; Marjorie Reynolds, La Grand; from Washington—Peggy McMaster (sister of Mildred Schaefer, Dorothy and Jessie McCroskey, Jessie and Frances McMasters) Vancouver; from California—Kathleen Wheeler (daughter of Lucille Ozier Wheeler, Phi) Palo Alto; Virginia Wolfe, Piedmont; Vera Bardwell, Whittier; Mary Stuart, Pasadena; Virginia Smiley, Santa Monica; Kathryn Martin, Beverly Hills.

We are happy over the return of three juniors, Virginia Dunsmoor, Marietta

Baker, and Edith Parsons.

Three beautiful lamps sent to us by our Mothers' club make our front room cheery. We are also grateful to them for the new rug on our upstairs hall. Lucille Ozier Wheeler (mother of Kathleen) gave us a pair of modernistic pewter candlesticks. Two attractive silver pieces were sent by Mary Lord Jahns and Jane Lord.

March 26 we pledged Dorla Powell, Piedmont, California.

January 27 a formal dinner honored Founders'-day. We were pleased at the number of alumnæ who came. February 2 we entertained our brothers at dinner.

Activities: Anita Blazier, Jane Mercer, in *Skidding* put on by the Workshop theater players. Alberta Phillips, Virginia Dunsmoor, and Pauliene Lucas are riding in the horse show April 4 in the Armory. Fifteen Thetas are participating in the Stunt Show, April 11, which has as its main idea *Arabian nights*.

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ROSALIND MAC WHINNIE

Married: Helen Wells and John Crusick, Φ K Ψ, Mar. 29.

New addresses: Adelaide Richardson, 741 Irving st. Portland, Ore.—Gladys B. Currey Wood (Mrs Tom) Royal court Apts. Salem, Ore.—Edith Elizabeth Bragg Carson (Mrs Wallace) 370 Leslie st. Salem, Ore.—Ruth E. Nicholson Krieger (Mrs George) Route 3, Hood River, Ore.

BETA ZETA—OKLAHOMA STATE COLLEGE

At 4 A.M. March 23 Beta Zeta initiated Virginia Mills, Marguerite Richardson, Helen Blue, Gwendolyn Levers, Margaret Neal, Bernice Morton, and Ruth Burch. At seven o'clock a breakfast at the chapter house honored the new ini-

tiates. An unusual feature of the breakfast was that four former presidents of Beta Zeta were present.

It is a custom of Oklahoma State to hold an annual interfraternity bridge tournament at the "Oasis." This year Frances Loomis and Sally Turbush entered, and went to the finals before being defeated.

As spring draws nearer interest in college politics increases. Opal Mc-Gregor is running for president of Woman's self governing association, and Frances Loomis for representative to Student senate from the School of science and literature.

Plans for our annual spring serenade are under way, a special feature will be an oriental dance by Anna Ruth Holloway.

Our alumnæ party and spring rush parties will be during the track meet, May 8-10.

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New addresses: Pauline Cameron, Box 584, Wynnewood, Okla.—Lorene Raybourn Smith (Mrs G. Sidney) 442 Midland st. Shawnee, Okla.—Thyra Weesner, 931½ E. 21st st. Oklahoma city, Okla.—Ada Harrel Mason (Mrs John) 875 16th st. Boulder, Colo.—Frances Sorey Hill (Mrs Alfred D.) 2310 W. 19th st. Oklahoma city, Okla.—Betty McDowell Havenstrite (Mrs R. B.) 1814 W. 8th st. Oklahoma city, Okla.

Mary Russell has been reelected president of the Oklahoma state home economics

association.

Married: Feb. 19, Wanda Jasper and Glenn Beaty. Address: Waurika, Okla.

BETA ETA—UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

February 15, Frances Quinn, Alice Kinsman, Mary Miller Kress, Katherine Haines, Rita Fleming, Dorothy Gimber, Virginia Robinson, and Ann Wickersham were initiated at the home of Elizabeth McCaughan. Initiation was followed by a formal banquet at the Hotel Pennsylvania.

In the recent Pele Mele (women's stunt night) the junior class won first prize for its song which will be the Ivy Day chant, and the sophomore class won the first prize for its stunt. Thetas participated conspicuously.

Activities: Elizabeth Masterman, Virginia Kinsman, and Emily Puder, elected to Pi Lambda Theta, educational society. Irene Kline, elected to Sphinx and Key, junior society. Charlotte Flack, appointed head counsellor at Green Lane camp this summer. Bowling Green, dramatic society, and Dance guild have joined forces to produce various *Dramatic interludes* in the early part of May. Virginia Robinson, Elizabeth Masterman, Virginia Kinsman, Kathryn Leslie, Eloise Egan, and Ann Wickersham are taking part.

Social: March 19, Philadelphia alumnæ held its meeting in Beta Eta's chapter house. March 31 and April 1, Beta Eta and Alpha Beta chapters had a theater benefit for John Drinkwater's *Bird-in-hand*, which was a financial success. April 26, Beta Eta will have its annual card party. May 9 the annual spring formal will be at Haverford Court.

April 16, Beta Eta members, with much glee and gusto, depart from these parts for a glorious and unforgetable week together in Stone Harbor, New Jersey. All aboard! Ship ahoy! and other expressions of joy!

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EDITH JENKINS CADWALLADER

BETA THETA—UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

Initiation March 1 for-Jean Sweeley, Violet Adams, Twin Falls; Gretta Brossard, Annie Snow, Rigby; Lucile Burgess, Boise; Helen Chattin, Idaho Falls; Luva Mae Jensen, Moscow; Elizabeth Lambdin, Ruth Marshall, Lewiston; Merle Meadows, American Falls; Mary Simonton, Wendell; Elaine Stone, Margaret Watson, Pocatello.

Bernice Brill, Fernwood, and Miriam Howard, American Falls, were

pledged February 8.

Social: A formal rush party February 5. A formal dance at the chapter house February 28. March 23 a fireside for rushees from Moscow and Lewiston. Mrs Simonton, who was initiated by Kappa chapter thirty-eight years ago, attended her daughter's initiation March 1. In token of our pleasure at the installation of Delta Delta Delta at Idaho we gave the new chapter a silver

pitcher.

Activities: Thelma Melgard, elected junior class secretary for second semester, active in debate, being one of the girls chosen to debate with the University of Washington. Gladys Gleason represented the university in a debate with Spokane university, also took part in a radio debate with Washington State college over Station KWSC. Dorothy Pierece, the lead in the A.S.U.I. production of Skidding. Dolores Holmes, elected recording secretary of Women's athletic association. Gretta Brossard, Merle Meadows, Elizabeth Lambdin, and Norma Werry, pledged to W.A.A. Ruth Newhouse, violinist, played for Zimbalist in Spokane, and over radio station KWSC. Helen Parrott, pledged Sigma Alpha Iota, music society. Ruth Newhouse, chairman of senior song committee, song fest.

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UTAHNA HALL

Engaged: Helen Rae and Herbert Wunderlich, Coeur d'Alene, Ida.

Pauline Pizey, Boise, and Mary Katherine Kahout, Ontario, Ore. came back for initiation.

New addresses: Elizabeth Kennedy, 123 S. Stone av. Tucson, Ariz.—Olive M. Merritt Edmister (Mrs R. A.) 114-15th av. Lewiston, Ida.—Alice M. Swanson Wood (Mrs Ronald) 28 Trenton apt. 544 S. 1st st. E. Salt Lake city, Utah—Gladys Perry Harrelson (Mrs A. G.) 19 Saluda st. West Asheville, No. Car.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Rex G. Thurber (Catherine Samuel) a daughter, Mary Ann, Jan. 2. Address: 1509 N. 5th st. Boise, Ida.

Married: Apr. 10, Gertrude Oylear and George Phelps, K Σ. Address: Box 334, Boise, Ida.

BETA IOTA—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

Beta Iota was happy and honored to have as guests Mrs Moore, Mrs Grasett, and Miss Green, who came to Denver to attend National Panhellenic congress. February 22, Beta Gamma and Beta Iota together with Denver and Colorado alumnæ had Founders'-day banquet, celebrating Kappa Alpha Theta's sixtieth birthday with these charming officers present. We are sorry that Mrs Banta was unable to come because of illness. February 23, a tea was given at Beta Iota's chapter house in honor of Grand council. We appreciate all of the valuable advice and aid given us during their vist and would welcome them back often.

Jean Hershey had the leading rôle in a Little theater play, Aria Da Capo, Allison Preston had charge of the buffet supper given in Boulder for Panhellenic congress. January 8, winter formal was held, when we enjoyed having present (besides members) alumnæ sisters of Theta, and members of other campus groups. Beta Iota had a rush party March 22 in Denver.

ESTHER ANDERSON 26 March 1930

With deepest regret and sorrow we announce the death of Eunice Lamson, a graduate of last year, who died in Denver March 17. Eunice was a girl with many friends, and a brilliant and happy future could have been hers.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Laurence Hanley (Evelyn Enz) a son, Laurence Foster, jr.

Feb. 18.

New addresses: Evelyn Reiter Harrison (Mrs Allen Bert) 958 St Paul st. Denver, Col.—Louise Sarchet Griffith (Mrs Philip) c/o M.R.M. Co. Mesa, Ariz.—Frances Donehue Lodwick (Mrs. Paul N.) 1014 S. College st. Ft. Collins, Colo.—Verna Nellis VanZandt (Mrs Howard) 1210 W. 18th st. Apt. H, Oklahoma city, Okla.—Dorothy G. Walker Newman (Mrs John Paul) 211 Temple-Ellis, Lubbock, Tex.

Helen Service is teaching in New Mexico, Velda Parker, in Hillrose, Colo. Mary Hunter, in Brighton, Colo. and Ada Giese, in Pierce, Colo.

Married: Apr. 7, Elizabeth Woodward and Harold Eugene Hodges. Address: Walnut Creek, Cal.

BETA KAPPA—DRAKE UNIVERSITY

Martha Peairs is again chairman of Women's musical comedy. A Theta has had this position ever since the comedy started ten years ago. On the board are Margaret Alice Gibson, Margie Ann Scholl, and Josephine Erzinger. The comedy is High hat and Thetas in the cast are Ruth Isabel Steele, Marjorie Eneix, Janet Hardie, Gretchen Utterback, Helen Hardie, Jean Beymer, Marion Bolter, Kathryn Anderson, Louise Couch, Hope Lyman, Dorothy Guilliams, Jane Alexander and the members of the board.

Pledged in January—Josephine Erzinger, Maurine Housh, Jane Alexander, and Helen Hardie (sister of Janet) all of Des Moines; March 3, Elizabeth

Wahl of Boone; March 24, Hope Lyman of Des Moines.

Mildred Rockwell, who attended Oklahoma university last semester, has returned to Beta Kappa. Helen Bagley of Little Rock, Arkansas, left at midsemesters.

Wildamae Hutton is kindergarten assistant. Marjorie Eneix is assistant in the botany laboratory and secretary of Eta Sigma Phi, classic language society.

February 8 Marjorie Carryer gave her Senior voice recital, at which she

also announced her engagement.

Dorothy Hill, member of Sigma Pi Sigma, national psychology society; Jean Beymer, pledge, Delta Phi Delta, national art group; Maurine Housh and Jane Alexander, Zeta Phi Eta, national dramatic society; Ruth Isabel Steele, Women's athletic association.

Initiation February 27 for Virginia Lynott (sister of Betty) Cedar Rapids; Marjorie Eneix, Eagle Grove; Louise Couch, Montith; Helen Ellis, Centerville; and Josephine Amos, Kathleen Shankland, and Maxine Jones, all Des Moines.

Formal dinner dance March 1 at the Hotel Savory.

Martha Peairs has charge of the Women's Panhellenic formal, May 9. Dorothy Guilliams was in the chorus of Mikado. Gretchen Utterback, Maxine Jones, and Kathryn Frye are on Fellowship committee of Y.W.C.A. Margaret Alice Gibson elected president of Women's athletic association. Several Thetas are on Des Moines Times, local news-magazine which has supplanted the college paper.

Eudora Countryman was chosen recently "Best Pal" by the men of the campus. Margie Ann Scholl was one of four personality girls chosen for Quax, year book.

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MARGIE ANN SCHOLL

Engagements: Dorothy Hill to Vince Trumbo, A T O, Jan. 13. Mildred Rockwell to Quinn Hornday, Φ I, Feb. 3. Helen Cupps to Charles W. Kerns, Δ T Δ . Marjorie Carryer to William Glisan Proper Feb. 8. Mary Jo Read to Robert Buckles, X Δ , Mar. 3. Wildemae Hutton to Ted Branson, Σ Δ E, Mar. 31.

New addresses: Frances Burt Moulin (Mrs A. D.) Apt. 3, 650-16th st. Des Moines, Ia.—Gertrude Teachout Sanborn (Mrs Neil S.) 1372-34th st. So. Seattle, Wash.—Gwen Bennison Maddox (Mrs John) 2915 Connecticut av. N.W. Washington, D.C.

BETA LAMBDA—WILLIAM AND MARY COLLEGE

Initiation week-end was February 15-17, with initiation Friday night for Jane Williamson, St Augustine, Florida; Drucilla Davis, Warrenton; Betty Pratt, Boston, Massachusetts; Margaret Jack, Portsmouth; Nancy St. Clair, Bluefield; and Margret Clark, Washington, District of Columbia.

Saturday afternoon Beta Lambda gave a formal tea for the initiates and for alumnæ, followed by the Initiation banquet that night. The next morning, the

initiates gave a breakfast in the house for alumnæ and members.

Beta Lambda has pledged Virginia Laziere, Portsmouth; Libby White, Long Beach, California; Dorothy Freeman. Williamsburg; and Jean Walker, Fort Eustis.

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JESS FETTER DE BORDENAVE

New address: Frances Roberts, Route 3, Norfolk, Va.

Alumnæ here for initiation week-end: Julia Dixon, Phylliss Logan, Elizabeth Duke, Ruth James, Elizabeth Sexton, Mary Ribble, Frances Roberts, Ernestine Renn, Annette Wilson Starr, Betty and Jane St Clair, and Martha Perrill, Alpha Delta.

Born, Jan. 23, a son Frederick Griffith Bahr, to Mr and Mrs Frederick Bahr (Fair-

fax Griffith). Address: 907 W. Minnehaha Parkway, Minneapolis, Minn.

Married: Feb. 11, Edith Ewellyn Baker and Bernard Mathias Bros. Address: 3745

Bryant av. So. Minneapolis, Minn.

Caroline Ribble has a position as head of Home economics, Gunston hall, Washington, D.C.

BETA MU—UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA

Beta Mu is much interested in the house it is about to purchase. the tireless efforts of Mrs Ada Laughlin, District president, and Mrs Walter Clark, Chairman alumnæ advisery board, Reno alumnæ chapter has about completed negotiations. Mrs Laughlin came to Reno especially to assist in arranging for the house, bringing plans for financing it. The house is in a good location, one and a half blocks from the university, is attractive, of red brick with a large lawn. Before moving, furnishings and improvements must be added.

February 1, Beta Mu gave a Presentation tea for 11 pledges, at the beautiful home of Mrs George Thatcher. The entire college, mothers' club, and friends were guests.

Initiation was February 9 for Ina Mae Winters (graduate student) Judy

Cummings, and Clarita Sameniego.

Lilian Stigen, Margaret Fuller, Margaret Ede, and Helen Steinmiller were initiated by Delta Alpha Epsilon, honorary English society, March 27. Dora Clover was a member of the committee selling bricks to finance the Student Union building: recently elected president of Women's athletic association she will in April go to Ann Arbor, Michigan, for the meeting of the national athletic association of college women. Peggy Johnson was appointed by Associated students on the committee to entertain Nevada high school presidents during their convention here in March. Doris Conway and Marian Nichols are active in social service of Associated women students.

Alice Dougherty, pledge, has left college.

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HELEN STEINMILLER

Born: To Mr and Mrs A. C. Neuing (Avis Lothrop) a son, Richard, in Jan.—To Mr and Mrs Charles Durkee (Alice Grace Yordi) a daughter, Joanne Louise, in Jan.

New addresses: Laura Ambler Fredericksen (Mrs Paul) Apt. 2D, 8024 Broadway, Elmhurst, L.I. N.Y.—Genevieve Chatfield Boardman (Mrs Russel) 28 W. Willis Blvd. Portland, Ore.—Edith Frandsen, St. Mary's hospital, Rochester, Minn.—Hazel C. Murray, Court house, Hollister, Cal.—Hester Harlan Crane Auer (Mrs Carl W.) 183 Florence av. Oakland, Cal.

Evelyn, Thelma, Nevada Pedrole, and Helen Halley will sail June 20 for Europe to spend the summer. Freda Humphrey, who will accompany them, will remain for a year of graduate study.

BETA NU-FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

After the exitement of the Junior-senior prom March 1, the chapter settled down to the serious business of student elections. Peggy Jones was elected vice-president of College government association and Avis Kent, senior representative on Judiciary. Mary Elizabeth Krome was elected World friendship representative of Y.W.C.A. and appointed Advertising manager of Flambeau. Louise Hoxie was tapped for Freshman cabinet of Y.W.C.A. and Marjorie Snook, for Freshman commission.

March 8 initiated: Marie Kellerman, Sarah Taylor, Georgia Archer, Peggy Brown, Helen Hammond, Lucile Hodsdon, Annie Lois Hicks, Louise Hoxie, Alyce Hemmings, Mary Margaret Johnson, and Emma Gertrude Johnson. March 22, initiated —Marjorie Snook. We were happy to have Miss Schuler, District president, with us for this latter initiation.

During Miss Schuler's visit, the chapter entertained with a tea honoring both her and its chaperon, Mrs Webb. The chapter received a great deal of helpful advice from Miss Schuler, and is looking forward to the time when

she will come again.

Because of poor health, Constance Seybold went home at the beginning of this semester, leaving the Junior minstrel in charge of Theresa Huffaker. Virginia Williams was chairman of stage settings, and Blanche Connell, Helen Hammond, Virginia Williams, and Mary Chatt Stackhouse took part in the Minstrel.

Honors won in athletics: Peggy Jones, varsity hockey; Marjorie Snook, freshman hockey.

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GEORGIA ARCHER

Visitors: Kathleen Weaver of Perry, Fla.—Inez Turner McDowell and Ruth Miller

of Jacksonville, Fla.

New addresses: Ernestine Gore Kent (Mrs Leith Dunlap) 3860 Poincianna av. Coconut Grove, Miami, Fla.—Flo M. Springer Borton (Mrs G. Earl) Room 201, P. O. Bldg. Asbury Park, N.J.

BETA XI—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES

February 24 Barbara Baird (daughter of Daisy S. Baird and sister of Stewart) Harriet Hatch, and Gladys Kasl (sister of Fern) were pledged.

Initiation was March 30 for Ruth Bell (sister of Helen, Phi) Dorothy Brown, Jane Crutcher, Charlotte Garlick, Yvonne Garnier, Dorothy Hitchcock, Susan Hunter, Fern Kasl, Betty McHarg, Mary Patten (sister of Eleanor, Phi) Clara Louise Prettyman, Jane Rooney, Sarah Schwartz, Josephine Thomas, Marian Thomas, Frances Turner (sister of Alice and Joyce Turner Weil) Juliet Wier, Laura Whiley. The banquet afterwards was at the Women's athletic club, where Yvonne Garnier was presented by the Los Angeles alumnæ with a badge for the highest scholarship average.

We were honored with the presence of Mrs Moore, Grand president, at

tea March 2.

A small buffet-luncheon bridge benefit of twenty-five tables was given March 22 at the Hollywood Studio club. Approximately \$100 was the profit.

The formal dedication of the University of California at Los Angeles took

place March 27 and 28.

As a fitting close to her four years in campus dramatics Alice Turner, will play Julie in the *Royal family*, to be produced April 10, 11, and 12.

In the French play Cyrano de Bergerac, Yvonne Garnier plays the part of

Le Deuxieme Marquis, and Laura Whiley that of Sir Claire.

Elizabeth Heineman, vice-president, is acting as president, since Mary Baskerville, president, left the University at the end of last semester.

27 March 1930 Mary Heineman

Married: Virginia Huntley to Ranny Draper.—Elizabeth Cunningham to Robert Kaye, Mar. 4.

Engaged: Mary Baskerville to Millard Sheets.

Mr and Mrs Michel Pijoan (Janet Smith) have left for a trip to Europe.

BETA OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

Beta Omicron initiated March 15 Helen Husted, Amy and Mary Houghton, Marguerite Stevens, Lynette Epperson, Iowa City; Rae Murrel, Cedar Rapids; Gertrude Brown, State Center; Mary Louise Stewart, Keota; Helen Collins, Knoxville; Becky Scholes, Greenfield; Floy Buchanan, Wray, Colorado; Virginia Droz, Washington; Pauline Larson, Clear Lake; Frances Doak, Winterset; Lois Shaw, Watertown, South Dakota; Margaret Hinshaw, Spirit Lake; Audrea Price, Grundy Center; Irma Seddig, Davenport; Dorothy Blaylock, Dorothy Engle, Newton; Saralien White (sister of Marie, Omicron) Ida Grove; Lucy Eller, Ottumwa; Mary Spohn, Northfield, Minnesota; and Marian Nelson, Dayton. Initiation was followed by a formal banquet, where toasts were given by Mary Spohn, Rosaire DeWitt, Helen Hansen, and Virginia Marmaduke. The scholarship cup was awarded to Irma Seddig.

Irma Seddig was initiated by Gamma Epsilon Pi, Commerce society. Rachel Baughman has the lead in *Holiday*, the second time this year she has had a lead in a University play.

There was a formal dinner at the house before Women's Panhellenic. The

spring formal will be held at the Jefferson hotel April 12.

Amy and Mary Houghton were in the French play Chotard et cie. They were the only students in the play, other parts being taken by faculty members.

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SARALIEN WHITE

Engaged: Virginia Marmaduke, Chicago, and Harold Greer, Herrin, Ill.—Irene Klinger, Cedar Rapids, and Robert Northy, Waterloo.

Natalie Albrecht, Elizabeth Irwin, Helen Coe, Virginia Marmaduke, Ann McDonald, Myrtle Van Peursen Wester, Helen Ann Dolly were here for initiation.

New address: Barbara May Kittredge, 720 Cass st. Apt. 213, Chicago, Ill.

Gwen Moore Brooks (Mrs R. Keith) lives at 4 Infirmary lane, Sta. R.G. Cincinnati, Ohio. She has two daughters, Barbara Jean, born Sept. 19, 1928, and Dorothy Louise, born Nov. 13, 1929.

BETA PI-MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE

Beta Pi is looking forward to a new house. The building committee is hard at work with plans, architects, and contractors, hoping that buildings may be

started in April, so that the house will be ready for next fall.

College elections are just over. We are proud of Martha Farley, elected president of Associated women students, the most desired and most important of student offices open to girls. Just before the elections Martha also became a member of Tau Sigma, national society for liberal arts and applied science students. Also in the elections—Jean Cadwallader and Amy Jean Veneklasen, junior and freshman representatives, respectively, to Associated women students' council; Evelyn Hardy, sophomore representative to the Union board. Evelyn also has become a member of Women's Athletic association.

We are sorry to lose Lois Crane and Jean Moore, graduated at the end of

winter term.

Pledged Rita Bunn of Fowlerville, Michigan.

Lena Lou Hunt, sophomore, has the second lead in the senior play in June. She also has a leading part in a dance drama to be given this spring.

Kappa Alpha Theta took first prize for the most original booth in the Y.W.C.A. carnival. Theta pledges gave a pageant, picturing a girl's life from the time she was a baby until she became a grandmother.

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SARAH MAY SHAW

New addresses: Alma Kitti Leake (Mrs W. H.) 112 N. Palm dr. Beverly Hills, Cal.—Wilma Strauch, Lancaster Apts. Fort Wayne, Ind.—Norma Robson Landon (Mrs Donald) 311 Avalon pl. Toledo, Ohio.—Margaret L. McKay Foster (Mrs J. Leonard) 95 W. Territorial rd. Battle Creek, Mich.—Clara Van Winkle Baker (Mrs Scott A.) 408 N. Sycamore st. Lansing, Mich.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Paul Hartsuch (Lucille Grover) a second son, George Lynn, Mar. 9. Address: 2502 Mayfield rd. Cleveland, Ohio.

BETA RHO—DUKE UNIVERSITY

In the Post-exam Jubilee, annual frolic at Duke, Thetas proved their versatility by donning football uniforms and capturing the loving cup for their stunt *Tea for eleven*.

Theta was well represented in spring elections: Elizabeth Rucker, Y.W.C.A. president; Norma Louise Craft, chairman of social service committee for Y.W.C.A.

Initiation was February 15, followed by a home-coming banquet for alumnæ. We were particularly fortunate to have Mrs Sarah Cady Patten, State chairman present. Other alumnæ here—Celene Phipps, Mildred Holton, Montee Moyle, Gladys Culberson, Margaret Royall, Mary Scanlon, Adelaide Royall Noell, Mabel Welton Ross, Mrs Edna Rising Jackson, Kappa, and Mrs Helen Scanlon Wright, Alpha Eta.

February 11 Bennie Purvis, Durham, was pledged.

Four of our seniors, Elizabeth MacFadyen, Alyse Smith, Peggy Lavinder, and Hal Grimes, have been elected to attend the May Queen in the annual May Day celebration. Helen Jenkins will have charge of the tea garden. Thetas taking part in the pageant: Norma Louise Craft, Dorothy Eaton, Eloise Lambert, Marguerite Phipps, Elizabeth Rouse, Mary Brown, Mary Moorman, and Bennie Purvis.

Helen Jenkins received bids from Eko-L, local honorary scholastic society, and from Polity club, local honorary economics club. Eloise Lambert and Elizabeth MacFadyen also received bids to Polity club. Kappa Delta Pi extended a bid to Mary Frances Rodwell. Mary Brown will be "Miss 1865" in the beauty section of the 1930 *Chanticleer*.

Beta Rho entertained at a lovely tea dance March 7 at the Washington-Duke hotel. Alumnæ, women members of the faculty, and mothers of town members acted as chaperons.

About 250 invitations were issued. Following the dance Thetas and their

escorts enjoyed a dinner party.

Helen Scanlon Wright (Mrs Richard) entertained the chapter at her new home at a delightful bridge party honoring Henrietta Still Supple.

24 March 1930 LUCILLE GAINEY

Henrietta Still Supple (Mrs Adrian) visited the chapter while home from Pittsburgh, Pa. where her address is 173 Kenwall av. Bellevue.

Mildred Holton, who is teaching in Yadkinville, spent a week-end with us.

BETA SIGMA—SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

Initiated March 7: Jacqueline Anderson, Mary Elizabeth Goggans, Mary Jane Kinsell, Louise Keith Moody, Bertha Olmsted, Aurelia Pearson, Hazel Williams, all of Dallas; Sara Clark (daughter of Linna Williams, Alpha Theta) Beverly Hills, Cal.; Eleanor Perkins, Quanna.

Social: Due to examinations and rush week Beta Sigma did not observe Founders'-day until February 6. Many alumnæ attended. Mrs F. O. Fernald (Helen Stanford) Dallas alumnæ president, presided. The pledges presented a short four act skit on Theta history and growth. March 11 Dallas alumnæ entertained with a spring tea honoring all Theta mothers. Beta Sigma held its annual dance March 28 at the Dallas Country club.

Activities: Mary Elizabeth Goggans and Mary Jane Kinsell pledged to Zeta Phi Eta, national Public Speaking society. Madeline Roach has sold two poems which recently appeared in *Dallasite*, a social publication. Virginia Dupies pledged to Sigma Phi, journalism society.

Beta Sigma regrets losing Etoile McFadin, Madeline Roach, Virginia Sum-

merville, and Wilette Jarrell at midsemester.

The pledges are taking an active interest in Powder and Patches, annual Panhellenic skit to raise a loan fund for independent girls.

Theta stood 12th among women's fraternities in scholarship last semester,

but the whole chapter is working hard to raise the average.

Pledges and initiates are turning out semi-weekly for basketball practice. Zeta Tau Alpha has won the intersorority cup the past two years. We're out to take it away from them.

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VIRGINIA DUPIES

BETA TAU—DENISON UNIVERSITY

Social: February 14, an informal dinner at Buxton Inn, with dancing at the house afterwards. February 28, Beta Tau's pledges entertained with a formal dinner-dance at the house. March 15, all the women's fraternities cooperated in holding A world tour. Each house represented a different country, and carried out novel ideas as to decorations and refreshments representative of the particular country. The sophomores and juniors of each group acted as hostesses, while the freshmen and seniors enjoyed the tour. Theta chose to represent Colonial America. The project was under the auspices of Women's student government association. March 21, an informal dinner party at the house before the Phi Mu and Delta Omicron opera in which Alice Smith had

a principal rôle.

Activities: Elections for 1930-31 among campus organizations have given Thetas some prominent positions. Betty Sweet is the new Y.W.C.A. president. Women's athletic association chose Wilma Jones for president; Elaine Ashley, head of dancing; Barbara Jones, head of swimming; Ruth Munn, head of apparatus; Frances Pease, custodian. Women's student government elected as treasurer, Betty Rogers; on board of control of publications, Lucille Scott; senior judiciary committee, Isabelle Hall; sophomore representative on board, Kathryn Braunschweiger; Y.W.C.A. representative, Betty Sweet; W.A.A. representative, Wilma Jones. Marie Ralston elected secretary of senior class; Margaret Lepper, vice-president of junior class; Wilhelmina Breitenweischer, sophomore vice-president; and Ann Platt, sophomore secretary. Principal rôles in the Junior Revue cast—Marie Ralston, Alice Smith, and Betty Hatch.

Scholastic standing of social groups for first semester is: Delta Delta, 1.489; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 1.340; Kappa Alpha Theta, 1.255; Chi Omega,

1.249.

Beta Tau will initiate April 19: Elizabeth Bratten, Dorothy Kramer (sister of Florence and Louise) and Kathryn Braunschweiger, Dayton; Jean Woodbury (daughter of Abbie Geach Woodbury) Rochester, New York; Wilhelmina Breitenweischer (niece of Jane Munn Cash) Detroit, Michigan; Bettie Ann Hess (sister of Helen Hess Calhoun) Canton; Ann Platt, Mt. Vernon; Mary Kathryn Goodyear, Urichsville; Mary Sweet (sister of Betty) Granville; Margaret Hutchinson (sister of Frances) Newark; Frances Pease (sister of Evelyn) and Mary Forrest, Chicago, Illinois; and Eleanor Hunter, Zanesville.

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BETTY ROGERS

Born: To Mr and Mrs George Roudebush (Harriet McCann) a son, Thomas Paschall, Feb. 22.

Engaged: Sarah Rogers and Ralph Pence, K Σ.—Wilma Jones and Frank Steadman, K Σ.

BETA UPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Under Panhellenic rules we are allowed to have only one rushing affair each month. In February we had a roller-skating party, which, in spite of numerous skids and falls, was successful. We took the rushees to supper afterwards at Marjorie Kirk's home. This month we are having a nautical bridge—dress in sailor clothes, have the tables represent different countries, and so on. Several week-end parties for summer rushing already have been arranged.

We have originated on this campus the idea of exchange suppers between men's and women's fraternities. March 5 at Elizabeth Douglas's home we entertained twenty Phi Gamma Deltas. After supper we played bridge and sang songs. Every one had a good time, and seemed quite anxious to continue such affairs in the fall. Our Spring formal was March 10, at the Royal Vancouver yacht club. Our guests assured us it was the best formal of the year.

Two of our girls are assisting with the Players club annual production, Friend Hannah: Dorothy Barrow in charge of costumes and Katharine Lee, advertising manager.

Our alumnæ have generously presented us with a scholarship ring to be worn each term by the girl who made the highest average in the last examinations.

After March 15 there will be no more social events on campus, as final examinations begin April 10. Eight Thetas will graduate: Barbara Ashby, Ena Henderson, Marjorie Kirk, Olwen Thomas, May McMorris, Alice Mathers, Rena Fleming.

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ALICE M. SMITH

MYSELF

I have to live with myself, and so I want to be fit for myself to know; Always to look myself straight in the eye. I don't want to stand, with the setting sun And hate myself for the things I've done. I want to go out with my head erect; I want to deserve all men's respect; But here in the struggle for fame and pelf I want to be able to like myself. I don't want to look at myself and know That I'm bluster and bluff and empty-show. I never can fool myself, and so Whatever happens I want to be Self-respecting and conscience-free.

_Σ A I_Pan Pipes

Campus Rushing

By BEATRICE HERRON BROWN, Alpha Chi Omega Chairman College Panhellenic Committee, N.P.C.

It is interesting, as we look back over the years, to note that the first intersorority conference was called to talk over the question of rushing and pledging. Although much has been accomplished since then by the abolishment of pre-matriculation pledging, by the establishment of a definite pledge day, and by the steady growth of the short, open rushing plan, we still find some uncertainty on the part of the college girls, a persistent desire now and then to experiment, and a certain amount of misinterpretation and misunderstanding.

Early in the twentieth century the conference of fraternity women favored a late pledge day and even urged the adoption of deferred rushing. Within a few years this plan seemed so doubtful in its values that a thorough investigation and study of the system was authorized. The outcome of that study was so definite that the National Panhellenic congress officially went on record as favoring "the short open rushing season and an early pledge day," the policy which has since been reaffirmed by successive congresses. This system when properly carried out promotes simplicity of rules and tends to eliminate petty, binding regulations which cause confusion, dishonesty, annoyance, and loss of respect for local and national Panhellenic. Along with this plan the greatest need is for stability—for a stability that will build tradition and public sentiment

to checkmate the so-called "rushing evil."

One of the requisites of fair rushing is a complete understanding of the eight short regulations of the Interfraternity compact. College members and alumnæ members need to review these and to clarify their understanding of some clauses. What is the interpretation of the "expired" pledge, the "broken" pledge, and the "transferring" pledge? If our vocabulary is purely used and if our mathematics is accurate, we shall have no difficulty. As an example let us take a girl who was pledged on September 15, 1929. She is a pledge to the fraternity of her choice until September 15, 1930, in the eyes of the Panhellenic world. If she fails to qualify for initiation within that time, her pledge normally expires on September 15, 1930, and she again becomes eligible to pledge any fraternity. However, if for any reason either she herself or the fraternity of her choice severs the pledgeship, it becomes a "broken" pledge; the girl then does not become eligible for pledging again until one calendar year from the date on which her pledge was broken. The same interpretation of pledgeship is placed on the girl who may choose a different campus at the end of a semester. Her pledge holds good for one calendar year no matter on what campus she may be (unless, of course, it was "broken") whether or not there is a chapter of that fraternity on the second campus and whether or not she affiliates herself with it. The responsibility is dual: it is the fraternity's duty to know whether a girl is eligible and it is the girl's duty to be honorable in her binding obligation.

Let us seek in our methods and in our interpretations to conform to the letter and to the spirit of the relationships into which each one of our fraternities has entered. May the word "Panhellenic" come to be synonymous with

integrity, honor, and harmony!



ALUMNAE CHAPTER NEWS



Because of convention pictorial, and other convention copy demands for space, it was impossible to find pages on which to publish the excellent letters, reviewing the year's work in alumnæ chapters. But, all that news could not go over until next November, so with apologies to the editors that prepared the letters, the office has made a summary of the unique features, for publication now. It is with regret that this plan has been adopted to meet the space emergency and with the expectation that such work and condensation won't be necessary another year—at least that is the editorial hope.

APPLETON

Appleton alumnæ has continued monthly supper meetings at the homes of

Appleton, Neenah, and Menasha Thetas.

The alumnæ chapter is allied closely with Alpha Psi, two or three girls from the college chapter being invited to each alumnæ chapter meeting. During rushing the alumnæ chapter assumed responsibility for the first tea and for the formal dinner. Adding to the furniture given last year for the Alpha Psi rooms, alumnæ supplied new drapes this year.

In December the annual Christmas party was given for Alpha Psi, with white elephant gifts and entertainment by the college girls, members and pledges.

MARION WORTHING

BOSTON

Boston alumnæ has, necessarily, a shifting membership; but there is a constant group of loyal Thetas who give it stability. Twenty-seven active members, an average attendance of fifteen at each meeting, is the year's record. Alternate afternoon and evening meetings, usually in private homes, is the plan. In order to accommodate Christmas shoppers and Thetas working down town, the December meeting was at the new Y.W.C.A. in Boston, with a satisfactory luncheon and an opportunity, for those who desired, to swim. A successful Founders'-day program at the University club, was enjoyed by twenty members.

We are proud that Mrs Maude Bell Plowman has twenty flower paintings

on exhibition in the Jordan Marsh art department.

EVELYN M. WATKINS

CLEVELAND

The large group of Beta Tau alumnæ, in Cleveland, having for years maintained their own organization, entered at once into the alumnæ chapter, giving it new life and enthusiasm. The first meeting, a beach party, to which husbands also were asked, was in their honor.

During the fall there were monthly supper meetings, with speakers: an address on post war Hungary, a review of fall books, the story of one Theta's work at the Cleveland museum of art. In January there was the Founders'-day dinner; in February a luncheon after which Marcia Kenyon Bissell (Mrs Howard) Alpha Chi, entertained with groups of folk-songs. In April, a dessert bridge. In May there will be a mock convention.

In the fall Theta entertained Cleveland city Panhellenic at a tea. Theta, represented by Mary Paxton Swiler (Mrs Russell) Alpha Upsilon, holds the

presidency of Panhellenic this year.

For several years members have been divided into districts, with a chairman in charge of each. A district group frequently comes together for informal

evenings of bridge.

As has become the custom, money for the Loan and fellowship fund was raised by sale of Christmas cards and magazine subscriptions, with, for the first time an agency for Royce's extracts and toilet preparations. The chapter contributes also to the scholarship fund Cleveland Panhellenic maintains at Cleveland college (Cleveland's experiment in adult education).

DALLAS

Last fall alumnæ had to forget their home duties for the time being and

rush, but were well repaid by the sixteen pledges they helped to get.

Meetings are the first Tuesday afternoon each month, at the homes of members. After business is finished, Beta Sigma members and pledges join us for a social hour and light refreshments.

In March we had a tea for the Mothers of college and alumnæ Thetas,

hoping to form a Mothers' club some day.

Founders'-day banquet was February 6, with fifty present to enjoy the

clever pantomime put on by the Social committee.

The alumnæ chapter provided three rush parties for Beta Sigma: an outdoor tea in the Spring, a Carnival, and a home picture show in the fall.

HELEN S. FERNALD

DAYTON

March 7, twenty-five Thetas of Dayton and vicinity met at the home of

Mrs Paul North Rice for the installation of the alumnæ chapter.

Preceding installation, dinner was served by a competent committee. On each table silver candlesticks held tall, gold candles tied with black tulle. Each Theta found at her place a clever kite shaped place-card.

Mrs Robert Ingram, president of Cincinnati alumnæ and deputy to Mrs Eugene Nickerson, president of District III, had charge of installation. She was assisted by Mrs N. C. Lucas and Miss Henrietta Brady of Cincinnati alumnæ.

The meeting closed with the singing of Theta songs and a hope that Dayton chapter will be one that every Theta may point to with pride.

VELMA W. SAGEBIEL

DENVER

Monthly supper meetings at houses of members have continued to be a great success, with a large proportion of the membership present. Founders'-day was celebrated on February 22 with a banquet at the Brown Palace, with Mrs

Moore, Mrs Grasett, and Miss Green as honored guests. The following day a number of the alumnæ motored to Boulder with the Grand officers, who were here for N.P.C., where Beta Iota and Denver alumnæ gave a lovely tea in their honor.

A special feature, was made of our Christmas meeting at the home of Martha Frye, president. All business was dispensed with, and after a delicious supper and our annual Christmas bazaar, a progressive bridge game was indulged in, white elephants exchanged, and good fellowship enjoyed.

In March, we varied our usual program by having a luncheon meeting at the University club with bridge afterwards in honor of Juliet Norgren who leaves

us this spring to make her home in Los Angeles.

An enjoyable bridge benefit was given in February at the home of Alice Steele, with husbands as special guests.

DES MOINES

Monthly suppers, the first Monday of every month, at homes of members, continue. Each month four alumnæ act as hostesses; average attendance is twenty-five; meetings are purely social.

The chapter's major interest is Beta Kappa, trying to work for and with the girls. A new committee, an alumnæ rush committee, will henceforth work

in cooperation with the college chapter's rush committee.

Lois Brown Harris was the able chairman for the Panhellenic banquet in December, where Theta had the largest representation, thirty. Happily Mrs Zeitlin, District president arrived in time to be introduced at the banquet.

The next day, Des Moines alumnæ gave a tea for Mrs Zeitlin, entertaining

also the college and pledge members of Beta Kappa.

For Founders'-day dinner, Marcella Knudson planned a pleasant evening of Theta songs and informal speeches.

MARY HUTCHINS SEARS

HOUSTON

Houston alumnæ began this year with a luncheon at the University club, October 5. The business necessary to the opening of the club year was com-

pleted while we enjoyed our first reunion after vacation.

In order to secure finances the chapter was divided into groups, each group pledged to raise fifty dollars. The means of raising this money was left to the discretion of the individual group. The fund was used for gifts to Alpha Theta at Austin and to Beta Sigma at Dallas, for our welfare work, and for the Loan and fellowship fund.

December 27 the chapter entertained at a breakfast at the River Oaks country club, guests including Houston rushees who were attending the University of Texas, Southern Methodist university, and Newcomb college. Founders'-day luncheon was January 25 at the Lamar hotel. Afterward we went to

Mrs Woodruff's home for the ritual service.

Recently a Panhellenic council was organized in Houston. Mrs Van de Mark is Theta representative, and Mrs Woodruff on the cabinet. There has been a decided need for a Panhellenic group in Houston and we are enthusiastic over the possibilities for the organization.

DOROTHY WHITEHURST

INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis alumnæ, with one hundred thirty resident members has many and diverse interests. The younger Thetas have been largely responsible for carrying on these activities. The Coleman hospital unit has sewed and supplied Christmas and Valentine gifts for the crippled children of Riley hospital.

Supper meetings have been a feature of our program, and always draw big crowds. The year started with a supper at Gamma's chapter house. The March meeting was a dinner-bridge at the home of Elizabeth Berterman.

The card party and style show in L. S. Ayres' tea room was a successful

innovation both socially and financially.

One of our number, Mrs J. Don Miller (Maud Cromer) was elected to the Indianapolis school board at Fall elections with an overwhelming majority of votes.

MARY O'HAIR HITZ

KANSAS CITY

Kansas City alumnæ has completed a most active and interesting year, including social and intellectual programs of wide variety. There was a fascinating and enlightening talk on *Interior decorating* by Russell Wise; a splendid lecture on *Oriental rugs* by Clarence Shephard: a delightful discourse on *We moderns*, given by a talented Theta, Ernestine Parks, who traced the development of styles from an early period to the present time. Margaret Davis gave us a treat by showing movies taken on a recent trip.

A Panhellenic tea at the home of Mrs Louis Nelson was our first social event of the year. Founders'-day banquet proved to be a memorable event, though we felt keenly the absence of our beloved Jessie Lebrecht, whose spirit has enriched so many Founders'-day banquets. Mrs Lebrecht, enjoying a Mediterranean cruise with her family, remembered us with a message, read during the evening. Fifteen chapters were represented. A Panhellenic dinner-dance

wound up the social events.

Money was raised this year by the sale of miniature coupons, offered by Bachrach studios of Boston, represented by Katherine Gupton. The chapter's contribution to Christmas charity was the purchase of shoes and rubbers for a needy family.

CHARLOTTE S. WOODRUFF

LAFAYETTE

Lafayette alumnæ began a busy year by offering most welcome aid to Alpha Chi during rush week in September. As the remodeled chapter house was not yet ready for entertaining, alumnæ homes made a charming background for parties, and alumnæ served as hostesses, waitresses, and even as financiers, under the capable direction of Mrs Juliet Matthews Snyder, alumnæ rush chairman.

Early in October our career as an alumnæ chapter started with the installation of Lafayette alumnæ by Mary Rieman, with a charter membership of 28. Most of us are from Alpha Chi, but our president is Mrs Lottie Coumbe Robertson, Alpha Psi and Psi, and we have representatives from Alpha, Beta, Gamma, Delta, and Beta Zeta.

The chief enterprise of the fall was the annual fruit-cake project, which netted \$225.00.

Added to our calendar was a small informal tea at the home of Mrs Bird Goslee Crockett in honor of Mrs Hudson Jones, Alpha Chi's new house mother (also the mother of Jane).

As an incentive for better scholarship and greater participation in activities, Lafayette alumnæ offered a suitable award to the best all-round freshman of Alpha Chi, to be presented at initiation banquet.

Our latest undertaking is to plan, put on, and finance a reception for Alpha

Chi in the remodeled and redecorated house, sometime in May.

We hold a business session the first Thursday evening each month, with a buffet supper preceding every other one.

MARY ELIZABETH SKINNER

LANSING

During the summer months, Lansing alumnæ favored luncheon meetings, but with the return of Fall again took up the old way of having supper meetings the second Wednesday of each month. This plan permits of a larger regular attendance. September, October, and November meetings were held at the Y.W.C.A. Since then we have met at home of members, where we have had right royal times, and enjoyed every minute. Plans for the remaining months include an April meeting at Beta Pi's chapter house, and a May breakfast for the pleasure of Beta Pi juniors and seniors, June plans not as yet announced.

As a newly chartered alumnæ chapter trying to aid and abet a not-very-old college chapter, we felt the need of some study, so under the chairmanship of Mrs Andrew VanHalteren short educational programs have been carried out at several meetings. Exchange of ideas among those girls who have come to Lansing from other chapters has been a most interesting and helpful source of information.

Our rummage sale, Christmas card project, and Theta coin boxes for the saving of odd dimes and nickels, have been our main sources of extra funds. A new scheme just beginning to grow is the small bridge party, meeting afternoons or evenings whenever convenient, and including both Thetas and non-Thetas.

MARGARET A. SHADDUCK

NEW YORK

New York alumnæ has enjoyed the past winter in a thoroughly social manner. Since New York offers such an abundance of educational and cultural opportunities, we felt the need of taking one Saturday afternoon each month to participate in getting acquainted with Theta friends.

Throughout the winter monthly meetings were held at the homes of members. It is our privilege in the early fall and spring to be the guests of Thetas who reside outside of the city. In this way we manage to include in our meetings the entire metropolitan area.

November 15 Kappa Alpha Theta participated in the Panhellenic Benefit bridge at the Panhellenic house. February 15, the chapter itself held a benefit bridge at the Panhellenic house.

New York alumnæ was hostess at a Sunday Tea at Panhellenic House March 2. At this time there was an unusual display of Tibetan tapestries which had never been displayed before and were of much interest.

The annual Panhellenic ball was at the Hotel Plaza, March 7. The ball is considered one of the outstanding social events of the season and Kappa Alpha

Theta contributed greatly to its success.

New York alumnæ announces the publication of a new directory which has already proved popular. Copies may be obtained by sending thirty cents in postage to the secretary.

Members of Kappa Alpha Theta living in New York City who have not affiliated with the chapter are invited to do so. Luncheons are held every Wed-

nesday at 12:30 o'clock at the Panhellenic house.

Members of the New York alumnæ enthusiastically plan to fly their kites at Toronto in July.

OKLAHOMA CITY

Going abroad à la moving pictures, Oklahoma City alumnæ had a brief sojourn in the Swiss Alps at the March meeting. The occasion was a chapter entertainment at the home of Mrs Frank Buttram (Merle Newby). Mrs Buttram, with her husband and children, took the pictures while on a tour of Europe in 1928. The showing climaxed one of the best meetings of the year at which new officers were elected.

Activities of the chapter have followed the lines of past years. In the fall, alumnæ of Beta Zeta and Alpha Omicron assisted their respective chapters with rush. Following was a benefit bridge in November. The chapter entertained with about seventy-five tables. During the same month the annual rummage sale was held, with proceeds totaling seventy-five dollars. Funds were devoted to the scholarship fund, charity and, gifts to the college chapters. At Christmas time we gave gifts to the girls in the crippled childrens' ward of the University hospital, through Helen Carr, who is with the social service department of the hospital.

Plans are being made to entertain our husbands and friends at a bridge party April 4 with Frances Wetzel heading the committee in charge. Our April meeting will be with Minnie Lee Burrus Armstrong (Mrs William J.).

In June we plan a picnic to which our husbands will be invited.

MARION HURST

OMAHA

Omaha alumnæ has met monthly at the homes of members. Since some are unable to attend afternoon meetings, while others cannot come at night, evening and afternoon meetings alternate. Afternoon meetings are Saturday one o'clock luncheons followed by business, while seven o'clock suppers feature evening meetings. A special feature, at many of the meetings has been an informal talk by some person of authority. Talks have been given on the work of the Community playhouse, the art institute, an alumna's trip to London, and a study of china ware

A budget has done away with the necessity for constant collection of money, and the raising of money by rummage sales, benefit bridges, and so forth. Each member's assessment covers her share of the Loan and fellowship fund gift; the prize given Rho chapter as a scholarship reward; incidentals; the cost of the

alumnæ directories; funds for rushing; and for a Christmas present to Rho. The Friendship fund was augmented on Founders'-day by the "birthday penny" custom.

BEATRIX MANLEY

PASADENA

Pasadena Alumnæ has been concentrating on helping Omicron and Beta Xi.

During rushing the chapter was interested and active in helping all four California college chapters as much as possible, by recommendations of local girls.

November 19 we gave a benefit bridge tea at the home of Mrs Alan Sharpè which was both financially and socially a great success. Of the money raised at this party, \$25.00 was given to the Loan and fellowship fund, and \$200.00 to Beta Xi for its house fund, to whom was also donated a fitted case for its benefit party at which it raised \$106.00.

Founders'-day banquet at the Hotel Huntington found Pasadena strongly

represented with 35 present.

It is our plan to meet once a year with each local college chapter. We met with Beta Xi in the fall and our next meeting will be with Omicron.

ALICE KURTZ

PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia alumnæ meets once a month—the third Wednesday, usually at the College club in Philadelphia. Two meetings a year are held at the houses of the college chapters, Alpha Beta—Swarthmore, and Beta Eta—University of Pennsylvania. This gives alumnæ an opportunity of personal contact with the younger members of Kappa Alpha Theta. Each meeting begins at 4:30; business preceding the stated program. Thus business and teaching members have an opportunity of hearing the music, readings, lectures, or plays that may constitute the day's entertainment. After the program is concluded we have supper at the meeting place; and at that time endeavor to mingle with members other than our own particular friends. The meetings adjourn in time for wives to join husbands on the homeward commute to the suburbs, or the monthly visit to the theater. These Wednesday afternoon meetings are so convenient that out-of-town Thetas—young mothers, too—have adopted the idea of shopping, visiting the dentist, oculist, or doctor on that day; then they relax for a quiet visit and interesting program at the Theta alumnæ meeting.

This year's programs have been exceptionally diverse and interesting. The first meeting was unique, for as many of the past presidents of the chapter as possible were present, and gave a sketch of the highlights of their own régime. Other programs: interesting talk *The lure of diamonds*, by a Philadelphia jeweler; music; *Candy*, by a member of the Consumers' league; and *Peace and war* by a member of the Women's International league for peace and freedom.

MIRIAM JENKINS ELSBREE

PITTSBURGH

Alumnæ from the twenty-one college chapters represented in the group have, separately, or in groups of three or four, served as hostesses at the monthly meetings.

In November for three days a rummage sale was conducted near one of the busiest corners of an East End business section. Everything, from radios to shoes, were sold. The \$200 earned went to Alpha Omega's house-building fund.

The same week the alumnæ chapter and Alpha Omega welcomed Mrs Moore, Grand president, who almost uncannily put her finger on the weak points in the two chapters and graciously encouraged our virtues. Scarcely had the Grand president disappeared when Mrs Nickerson's shadow crossed our sill. Unfortunately for us and for her, a threatening cold cut our District president's visit short. Better fortune again! To cap the busy week, a scholarship fund bridge brought in about \$60.

The Christmas party at the home of the president, Dorothy Sattley, was attended by fifty. Mrs Campbell and Mrs Estep generously furnished Christmas music, and Louise Borland illustrated Dicken's *Christmas carol* with slides of quaint old illustrations taken from a first edition.

Founders'-day dinner was an unusually interesting event in spite of the non-appearance of Mrs Mecklin. One hundred Thetas represented twenty college chapters.

March 1 another bridge, hastily planned and successfully executed, added \$118 to the house-building fund. A little flurry of excitement over the possibility of purchasing a house for Alpha Omega died down, and the lease on the present chapter house was signed for two years.

Both college and alumnæ groups are measuring the distance from Pittsburgh to Toronto in terms of gas or railway fare.

GRACE H. MILLER

PORTLAND

Portland alumnæ, feeling that a two year term tends toward greater efficiency, has reelected her officers for another year. The president, having a term of experience before convention, has a foundation for her work there and a greater knowledge of her chapter's problems. The other officers feel that they have a keener understanding of their duties in holding office another term.

A busy and truly successful year, both financially and socially, is just ended. The pledge which the chapter has been carrying for the past six years, of \$200 a year to each of the two Oregon college chapters, Alpha Xi and Beta Epsilon, has been finished. We have had the usual bridge parties, rummage sales, and theater benefits. Through the courtesy of one of the leading women's apparel shops of Portland, a fashion show that was sponsored by Kappa Alpha Theta and two other women's fraternities was quite a novel way of increasing bank accounts. We are about to launch a project new to us, taking orders for stationery from a well known firm. A twenty per cent profit is made on each box. At a meeting last fall we all brought our own "white elephants," sold them to each other and added \$14.10 to our treasury.

One of the happiest times was the evening spent last fall with our Grand president, Mrs Moore. Twenty-five of us gathered at the University club for dinner, and afterwards sat around a cozy fire place and had a most informal visit.

Almost a hundred celebrated Founders'-day at the University club. At the end of the ritual service, tiny candles were lighted at each place. A letter to Henryetta Lawrence from Bettie Locke Hamilton, whom she met at the West Baden convention, was read.

Ella Dobie Hathaway (Mrs D. A.) and her daughter, Ann, both of Alpha Xi, left in February to make their home in Santiago, Chile for three years. Mr Hathaway is interested in an engineering project there. For ten years Mrs Hathaway has been state alumnæ chairman. We will miss her.

SOPHIA M. SHELK

ST. LOUIS

St. Louis alumnæ has been fortunate in being able to keep its standard of attendance at meetings: sixty to seventy members present each month. Perhaps the meetings themselves have been responsible for this record, as at each one, with the exception of the first, there has been in addition to the regular business meeting and supper, a program of unusual interest.

Our first meeting was an occasion for reunion, when everyone preferred chatting of summer events to listening to a program. At the October meeting in the Women's building of Washington university, we felt as though we were continuing the rushing season for the benefit of Alpha Iota pledges who were our guests. After the November meeting supper to which Alpha Iota sophomores were invited Mr Harlan Read reviewed his successful book, *Thurman Lucas*. To the December meeting each Theta came bearing a ten cent toy and canned goods. The toys were placed around the Christmas tree, and at the end of the meeting were presented with a little humorous verse to members. Afterward, these toys were collected and given to the Board of Religious organizations to be distributed to poor children at Christmas time. The canned goods were taken to Boyle Memorial center also to be given to the needy.

Theta artists entertained at our January meeting: Ruth Harris played a piano solo; Katherine Hafner Westlake sang accompanied by Isabel Lowe Goerner; Frances Hayes also sang accompanied by Lucille Pearson; Mary Jane Roach read some poems.

In March, Alpha Iota juniors were our guests. After supper a song fest was made especially enjoyable by several solos by Elma Nipher Dawson.

In April officers will be elected, following a luncheon bridge.

In June, at a picnic supper, Alpha Iota seniors will be guests and invited

to join the alumnæ chapter.

St. Louis alumnæ has contributed its bit toward charity and devoted time and energy to business schemes. For charity, we have again undertaken the making of children's nightgowns for the Children's Aid and Visiting nurses. For business, we have two new plans, as well as the old one of selling Christmas cards. We have cooperated with the League of women's voters in the selling of old clothes at its economy shop: and we are selling stationery for Mrs Gutgasell. The Christmas card sale was unusually successful this year as it netted \$500. Money derived from these enterprises is donated to the Loan and fellowship fund, to other worthy causes, and to a share of the expenses of our budget.

JANE McCOY BARNARD

SAN DIEGO

San Diego aumnæ has endeavored to profit by the experiences of sister chapters, incorporating in its workings and activities their helpful and successful ideas. We adopted the Boston alumnæ plan of alternating afternoon and evening meetings. The evening suppers in the girls' homes have been particularly well attended.

Our first meeting, October 28, at Mrs Paul Edwards's was a delightful buffet

supper.

Mrs Rachael Hotchkiss White's (chapter president) plan to conduct chapter business with the advice of a board composed of the executive officers, the past president and Panhellenic delegate has proved most desirable, as it has

brought officers to full realization of chapter duties.

The November meeting was a supper at Helen May Marcy Johnson's home; entertainment, a most enjoyable account of Jennie Belle Willmott's trip abroad last summer. December meeting, a luncheon at a down town hotel, showed a decided decrease in attendance from that at supper meetings. The Panhellenic dinner dance at the Athletic club that month was well attended by Thetas.

January was a month of many meeting, for committees met frequently and worked diligently to prepare for our elaborate Founders' banquet, a birthday celebration in more than one sense to San Diego Thetas, as it was on this day

one year ago that we became a national chapter.

Our February meeting was a delightful luncheon at Dorothy Jones's home. The March and April meetings will be busy affairs completing arrangements for the benefit bridge, a garden party in April, the proceeds of which will go to the Loan and fellowship fund.

LARUE GILLERN YALE

SEATTLE

Seattle alumnæ has continued the plan of alternating afternoon and evening meetings. The first evening or supper meeting was at the home of Mrs John Burkheimer with seventy-five attending. Alpha Lambda's new pledges came in during the evening, so we had the opportunity of meeting them early in the year. Our afternoon meetings with luncheon at one o'clock, followed by business and bridge, have been most enjoyable.

Our annual tea for new members and Theta mothers was given at Alpha

Lambda's chapter house in November.

We have been unusually fortunate in having Mrs Moore, Grand president, with us twice during the year. On her first visit we entertained with a luncheon in her honor, inviting Tacoma alumnæ to join with us. Returning from the installation of Beta Upsilon, Mrs Moore, Mrs Walker, president of District IX, and Mrs Bemis, past Grand vice-president, were honor guests at a supper meeting attended by eighty-four alumnæ.

A large number of Thetas attended the Panhellenic bridge luncheon in

January, of which our own Mrs Evans was a most successful chairman.

Our dinner dance and bridge party at Alpha Lambda's house during Easter vacation and the picnic bridge luncheon, honoring Tacoma alumnæ in May,

are being looked forward to with much pleasure.

To raise money for the Loan and fellowship fund and for Alpha Lambda chapter house, we gave a most successful bazaar and bridge luncheon just before Christmas, netting \$325.00. In April we plan the annual rummage sale which always adds a substantial amount to our treasury.

GRACE C. SCOTT (Mrs. J. C.)

SPOKANE

This year Spokane alumnæ has been holding monthly meetings at the homes of members,—the girls in groups of four preparing and serving plate dinners. Last year we alternated noon luncheons at a downtown lunch room with evening meetings in the homes with the food prepared by a cateress. Dur-

ing the years preceding last year we met at noon luncheons only.

We are much pleased with this year's plan. It has cut hostess fees from \$4.00 per person to \$2.75. We have a much better opportunity to get acquainted, especially with the business girls, who usually had to leave the luncheon meetings before we even transacted business. The four or five who assume the responsibility of the meeting enjoy their hard work and certainly get to know each other.

After business is finished we usually have informal entertainment by members. At one meeting Phyllis Benefiel, one of our professional musicians, entertained with piano music. Another time Mrs Cogswell, who is secretary of the Shriners' hospital for crippled children, brought pictures and told us of the work accomplished at the hospital.

Early in the fall we held our annual rummage sale from which we realized

a sizable sum,—\$100.00 of which goes to the Loan and fellowship fund.

In November we were honored by a visit from Mrs Moore, Grand president: at a dinner in a private banquet room at the Davenport hotel 25 Thetas had the pleasure of meeting Mrs Moore. After dinner we gathered around the fireplace in friendly fashion and enjoyed a delightfully informal half hour.

During the Christmas Holidays, Spokane alumnæ spent a jolly, happy evening at the home of Mrs J. H. Thomson, honoring the college girls who were home for vacation. Each girl varied her costume by the use of unmatched shoes or stockings,—funny old hats, boys' togs, paper dresses or masks,—such a conglomeration was probably never before assembled under one roof. We played children's games, ping-pong, pit, pig, parchesi and inevitably some bridge. Music and a dainty luncheon added to our pleasure, we certainly had a wild and happy time, all voting it much more fun than the formal teas of years past, for we really got acquainted with the younger girls at this party.

Our last meeting of the year is always a picnic in May. Last year we took our husbands and children, friends and food, and went to Christine Fancher's

summer home at Liberty Lake. Every one had the best kind of a time.

MRS W. H. TALLEY

TOPEKA

Topeka alumnæ has been enjoying enthusiastic meetings at homes the second Saturday of each month. Approximately forty attend each meeting. At the beginning of each year the total membership is divided into nine committees, each committee having charge of one luncheon. This year we have been fortunate to have as guest at each meeting, a college member of Alpha Upsilon, who after the luncheon, gave college chapter news of interest to alumnæ. This plan has brought us into closer contact with the college girls.

We have added to our treasury \$163.14. Twenty-seven dollars of this amount was as donations, and the remainder, \$136, was made by a dance at the Egyption ball room. One dollar admission was charged for each couple, and each alumnæ was asked to sell four tickets. This is the second subscription dance we have undertaken, both have been so successful that we hope to make these Theta alumnæ dances annaual affairs.

LOUISE SMITH CASEY

WASHINGTON

Washington alumnæ has spent an enjoyable year under the leadership of

our gracious president, Mrs. H. A. Finch.

A chapter situated in the nation's capital city has many advantages and some disadvantages. We are fortunate in being able to meet so many Thetas from every section of this country, and able to realize more keenly than most groups the national character of Theta's bond of sisterhood. Due to the transient character of much of Washington's population, however, our membership is continually fluctuating. One is apt to find an entirely different group of alumnæ attending the March meeting from those we saw in February or will meet in April. As many of our members are employed in government offices, we alternate our meetings between afternoon and evening, with the consequent result that some of those who can come only at night do not even know those who come only in the afternoon! This gives a sense of impermanence which is not found

in most alumnæ groups.

We have on our mailing list this year one hundred and nine Thetas, representing thirty-four college chapters, with four or five Thetas whose college chapter is unknown. Doubtless there are others, here for a brief stay, who have not been reported. On our list we find four from Alpha; five from Beta; four from Gamma; six from Iota; three from Delta; four from Mu; two from Epsilon; eight from Lambda; six from Psi; four from Tau; three from Chi; three from Eta; one from Kappa; two from Alpha Epsilon; one from Alpha Omega; three from Alpha Gamma; four from Alpha Delta; two from Alpha Kappa; one from Alpha Zeta; two from Alpha Omicron; two from Alpha Nu; three from Alpha Pi; five from Alpha Beta; three from Alpha Lambda; two from Omega; three from Alpha Eta; one from Alpha Tau; two from Alpha Theta; two from Beta Beta; four from Beta Delta; two from Beta Kappa; two from Beta Lambda. That is certainly a representative list, is it not? Some of these alumnæ unfortunately never attend any meetings, although cards go to them regularly each month. Thirty-five of them pay dues and are more or less regular in attendance. Others come to an occasional meeting without assuming any financial responsibility.

We have had a varied program this year. At the opening meeting in September at the home of Mrs Ovid Butler (Adele McMaster, Gamma), we heard an interesting talk on Soviet Russia by Jessica Granville Smith, Alpha Beta, who spent several years in Russia. The October meeting was at the home of Mrs Louis Austin (Laura Osborne, Psi), in Cleveland Park, our president con-

ducting a program on current Theta history.

The November meeting at the home of Mrs Donald Cubbison (Lucile Abrams, Alpha Beta), was one of the most largely attended of the year. At this time we were told that the Kappa Alpha Theta fellowship had been awarded to Jean Slavens of Arizona. A committee of Washington alumnæ, under the chairmanship of our vice president, Mrs H. E. Woolever, has been charged with the responsibility of awarding this fellowship, and worked on the project ever since national convention two years ago.

The December meeting at the home of Mrs Thomas Taylor (Mary E. Osgood, Alpha Beta), took the form of a buffet supper served to forty-two Thetas. A short stunt program preceded the business meeting. A large collection of canned goods, stable foods and Christmas luxuries was taken up at this meeting for the benefit of our social service work. The chapter is this year continuing the help it gave last year through the Associated charities to a family

in straightened circumstances. A collection is taken up at each meeting to supply hot lunches for "George," the invalid school boy son.

Founders'-day was celebrated at the Hay Adams house with L. Pearle Green as honor guest at luncheon. Thirty-seven Thetas representing twenty-two chap-

ters answered the chapter roll call.

The chapter at its last meeting at the home of Mrs H. E. Woolever (Eloise Andrews, Chi), planned several methods of raising money for the annual contribution to the Loan and fellowship fund. We have been in the habit of sending one hundred dollars each year, raised largely through Christmas card sales. This year we did not sell cards on the same scale as in previous years and will probably be forced to reduce the size of our donation.

All Thetas resident in or near Washington, or visiting there for a short period are urged to attend the meetings on the third Tuesday of each month. For the benefit of transients in the city announcement of the place of each meeting is given the Sunday previous in the society columns of the Washington papers. Luncheons are held the first Tuesday of each month in the Club house of the A.A.U.W. The closing meeting of the year, in June, always takes the form of a picnic in Rock Creek park with husbands and families in attendance.

MARGARET CONNOR VOSBURY



New York Panhellenic Scholarship Award

The New York CITY Panhellenic Scholarship Award for 1930-31 has been granted to Helen Delano Willard, Alpha Phi, graduate of the University of Wisconsin. Miss Willard was graduated with the degree of A.B. June, 1928, her major being English Literature. Miss Willard is at present teaching English in the Waukesha, Wisconsin, high school. In New York she will work for a Master's in English literature at Columbia university.

In order to safeguard the award two alternates were chosen. First alternate—Ellen Eloise Keefer, Alpha Omicron Pi, a graduate of the University of Nebraska with A.B. degree, June, 1928; and A.M. from the same university in June, 1929. Second alternate—Edith Harriet Quamme, Kappa Delta, a graduate of the University of Minnesota, A.B. 1930.

IN MEMORIAM

Esther Whitten Watson (Mrs R. Myron) Beta Died in 1930

Jessie Boulton Thorp (Mrs Charles M.) *Iota* Died March 7, 1930

Emma Lane Voey (Mrs J. W.) Lambda Died February 14, 1930

Jessie Hunt Ellicott (Mrs C. H.) Lambda Died in 1929

Julia Benedict Howe (Mrs W. L.) Kappa Died in March, 1930

Virginia Southgate, Nu Died in October, 1929

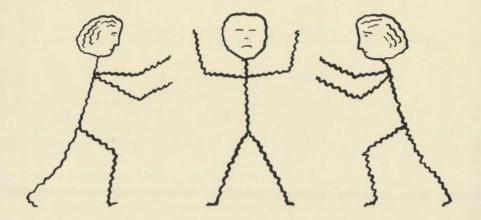
Ruth Haslap, *Alpha Delta* Died March 19, 1930

Mary Thomas, Alpha Delta Died April 10, 1930

Fayne McClendon, *Alpha Mu*Died in 1929

Eleanor Bennett Love (Mrs C. H.) Alpha Pi Died February 14, 1930

> Eunice Lamson, *Beta Iota* Died March 17, 1930



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MYSTERY LADY HAUNTS CONVENTION

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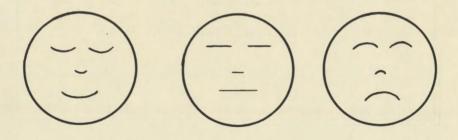
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